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EVERYMAN'S PSYCHOLOGY

THE "NEW" PSYCHOLOGY AND THE "OLD"

BY FATHER G. BYRNE, S.J.

Old furniture, old tawney port, and seasoned whisky seem to be among the few old things which are popular, for the most part, seem anxious to have new things: above all in the world of ideas. We can have them for the asking. Indeed, if we except perhaps physics, psychology offers us as many new goods as any science on the market. Personally, I never had a particular craving for antique furniture, even the brand made in Hollywood, but I have a weakness for old ideas: there is a lot of solidity about most of them; still we cannot get away from all the "new" ones, they seem to be, at least, as necessary as cocktills for a modern psychological feast. We must deal with some of them here. In reviews you will read about "The New Psychology," how it is well to realise at the start that there is no such thing as *The* new psychology; there are many psychological streams flowing in very different directions: they have sometimes been enriched by waters from one and the same tributaries, but they do not meet. It is true to say that sensation was a starting point. Exact science owed so much to measurement that Galileo's saying "Measure all that is measurable, and make measurable all that is not so," seemed to be the golden rule for all reliable research. The way open to psychology was, therefore, to proceed, by measurement, from the sensations to the higher functions of the mind. We shall see that many of the measurement experts got lost in the avenues of sensation, and began to think that there was no higher plane.

Started in a Hurry.

As Dr. Allers says: "Psychology was expected to give answers not only within the laws of sensation, but on education, history, sociology, medicine and any other claimant that wanted to know something of the workings of man, as man. The psychologists, overwhelmed, cried 'patience,' we are on the way. But the other sciences could not halt: they had need of some kind of psychology, either as a basis—as in the case of pedagogy—or as a method of studying their own problems—as in the case of medicine. They would not wait; so they started to construct their own psychology. The result was what is wrongly called 'The New Psychology,' for it really was a multitude of psychologies, built up to meet individual needs and aims. There was a consequent uneasiness in the ranks of the professional psychologists. Oswald Kulpe and his 'Würzburg school' began a new study of the higher mental processes.

Perhaps one of the biggest turning points was in 1894 when, in the Academy of Sciences in Berlin, Dilthey drew the distinction between descriptive and explanatory psychology. He contrasted the

methods of natural science and those of history, psychology, and kindred studies. He started a school of psychology, of which the influence soon began to spread outside Germany. It drew away from the psychology based on biological principles: it has been called "geisteswissenschaftliche Psychologie"—a hefty study, by the looks of it! The magic words barely convey to us that its methods are more like those of history or biography, or the study of literature and art.

Beginning of Psychoanalysis.

The same year another paper was read by two doctors of Vienna, Dr. Breuer and Sigmund Freud. It was entitled "On the Mechanism of Hysterical Symptoms." Breuer's and Freud's starting point was what has become known as psychoanalysis. Dilthey's work was originally in a different direction: eventually they seemed to merge into one comprehensive view of the human mind. Since

IN HONG KONG TO-DAY

CLOUDY WITH RAIN

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 5.30 P.M., STATED:—

PRESSURE REMAINS HIGHEST TO THE NORTH-EAST OF HONGKONG. THE TYPHOON IS SITUATED ABOUT 50 MILES TO THE NORTH WEST OF NAHA, MOVING SLOWLY N.W. AND S.W. WINDS, MODERATE; FINE.

those early days both forms of psychology have changed. But the point to be stressed is that from the very first there were two "new" psychologies. In fact to them we may add as a third stream the ideas of Husserl, who under the label "Phenomenology" introduced certain methods and ideas to examine the problems of thinking. The nineteenth century had been impatient of metaphysics. The new movements were a backward swing of the pendulum to metaphysics again. It was a reaction against a concentrated interest in nature rather than in man, the question of questions was "anthropology." The poet was right when he sang that "the proper study of mankind is man." The materialistic sciences which had held sway was not very worried about the question. If it had not yet found out what man was, it was confident that he was "nothing else but atoms." The new movement was all to the good for the soul.

DISTURBANCES IN C.M.S.N. CO.

FAMILIES OF DECEASED MEMBERS OF CREW DEMAND COMPENSATION.

SHANGHAI, July 28. Minor disturbances were created in the offices of the China Merchants Steam Navigation Company on the Bund at the corner of Foochow Road shortly before 11 a.m. yesterday when a group of more than thirty men and women, claiming to be relatives of the victims of the disaster to the s.s. Toohan, demanded compensation of \$1,000 to the family of each of the deceased.

As the company had paid \$500 to each family, and as no satisfactory reply was given them, the majority of women began yelling and wailing, while one of the men shattered window panes and broke a few other things. Police were finally called in to maintain order. The families of the deceased passengers, and surviving passengers, have also organised an association

U.S. RECOVERY PLAN

BRIDGING GAP BETWEEN PRODUCTION AND CONSUMPTION

WASHINGTON, July 28. The magnitude of the task still confronting President Roosevelt in his effort to bridge the gap between production and consumption is indicated by statistics issued today by the Federal Reserve Board. These show that factory production at the end of June was 89 per cent. of the 1922-1925 level and wholesale commodity prices 69 per cent., while industrial employment was only 66 per cent. and the total number of pay-rolls only 48 per cent.

To ask for compensation. Two lawyers have been retained by the association, while the District Commissioner has also been asked for assistance.

GERMAN CRUISER AT TSINGTAO

FIRST VISIT SINCE THE START OF WAR

TSINGTAO, July 28. The German community of Tsingtao is agog with pride and excitement these days for, after a lapse of nineteen years, a German cruiser is paying a visit to what was formerly the centre of German influence in the Far East. She is the cruiser Koeln, commanded by Captain Schniewind, which is making a world tour and has arrived from Dairen on a ten days' stay.

Tremendous historical interest and significance attaches to the visit of this cruiser which has stirred the patriotic sentiments of the community, many of whom remember poignantly and intimately the course of events which makes the incident so appealing. The last German warships seen in Tsingtao harbour comprised the detachment which sailed away in August, 1914, after the declaration of war, leaving the powerful forts to be battered by British naval guns and Japanese howitzers in the attack which led to the fall of Tsingtao. Among that detachment, the last German naval visitors to Tsingtao, was the famous cruiser Emden which left to inaugurate an episode of daring and adventure almost unparalleled in naval history.

These nineteen years of dramatic change in the fate of nations, and even more dramatic in the case of Tsingtao which since then has passed from German to Japanese hands and finally back into Chinese hands, called away last Thursday when, on a beautiful sunny morning as the sky and the sea vied in framing Tsingtao's picturesque surroundings with a fold of blue, the Koeln steamed slowly into harbour and into the affections of the waiting German community. With a salute of 21 guns to the Government of China, the Koeln passed across the bay and anchored about five hundred yards from the U.S.S. Houston, flagship of Admiral Montgomery M. Taylor, commander-in-chief of the American Asiatic Fleet. That was the signal for a day of continuous naval salutes and enthusiastic reception as Dr. Brackio, the German Consul, and leaders of the community called on Captain Schniewind and his staff. —N.C. Daily News.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY

(August 3)

(VI Moon, 13th Day)

King Haakon of Norway born, 1872.

Theosophical Society Meeting, 6 p.m.

Claims against the estate of Marie Joseph Alphonse Stanislas Simon, due.

Whist Drive Civil Service Cricket Club, 8.45 p.m.

Annual General Meeting, Hong Kong Football Club, 5.30 p.m. (Clubhouse, Happy Valley).

Theatres.

Central: "Little Damsel."

King's: "Wild Girl."

Queen's: "Woman Accused."

Star: "Washington Masquerade."

World: "Hell Below."

Oriental: "Goodnight Vienna."

Dances.

Tea Dances at Hong Kong and Repulse Bay Hotels; Gloucester Building; and King's Restaurant.

Dinner Dances at Peninsula, Hong Kong, and Repulse Bay Hotels; and King's Restaurant.

Sports.

Lawn Tennis—"O" Division, Kowloon Docks v. Chinese R.C.; Indian R.C. v. Deutscher Klub; Civil Service v. Kowloon C.C.; Craigengower v. Army T.C.; Central British Association v. Hong Kong C.C.; Club de Recreation v. Kowloon Indians; Police R.C. v. Radio Sports.

Water Polo—Young Companions v. South China "A," 6 p.m.; Royal Navy v. Civil Servants (Y.M.C.A.), 6.30 p.m.

Principal Mails.

Inward from Europe via Suez by Conte Rosso; from London by Deutch.

Outward for Canada by Ixion, 10.30 p.m.; for America and Europe via Siberia by Chichibu Maru, 5 p.m.

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DOCTOR AND MEDICAL COUNCIL

APPLICATION BEFORE SINGAPORE SUPREME COURT

Singapore, July 27.—A suggestion that in framing the Medical Registration Ordinance the Legislative Council had gone beyond their legislative powers by making it a punishable offence for a medical man to continue to practice after his name had been struck off the register was made by Mr. V. D. Knowles when he appeared on behalf of Dr. C. J. Paglar in an appeal to the Supreme Court from the register.

Dr. Paglar was alleged to have given an incorrect certificate to a patient, stating that on a blood test he had been found to be suffering from a certain disease, when in fact no such test had been made and the patient was not suffering from that disease. The matter was brought to the notice of the Medical Council, and they took action which resulted in a decision to strike Dr. Paglar off the medical register.

An appeal was lodged, and the case was entered in the list at the recent Court of Appeal for special argument on the question of whether or not it constituted a proper case for hearing by the full court of appeal. After lengthy argument, the court decided that it should properly be tried before a single judge sitting with an assessor. *Singapore Free Press.*

Shanghai—Rice merchants of various districts of Kiangsu will hold a joint meeting in Shanghai on July 31 to consider a proposal which the merchants intend to present to the Finance Ministry, asking them to exempt the rice merchants from paying business tax. It is estimated that delegates to the meeting from various rice-producing districts will number over 300.

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Make a sauce with the milk, butter and flour, seasoning to taste. When thickened, add the shredded cheese. Arrange 1 inch slices of fish in a buttered baking dish, pour the cheese sauce around them, and bake in a moderate oven until the fish is tender. Remove the fish to a crystal platter surround with the sauce and garnish with parsley.

A SWEET FOR YOUR PARTY

RAINBOW MIXTURE

Rainbow mixture is really uncooked marzipan, and it should be made one or two days before it is required.

Roll half a pound of icing sugar till there are no lumps left in it, then mix it in a basin with half a pound of ground almonds. Break up the whites of two eggs, add a little at a time to the mixture, and knead it to a soft dough which does not stick to the fingers. Divide the mixture into three portions. Leave one white, colour one pink with cochineal, and the other brown with cocoa. The cochineal and the cocoa should well kneaded in, otherwise the mixture will look streaky. Add more icing sugar if the marzipan is too soft and more white of egg if it is too stiff.

Roll each portion to the same size and thickness. Place the brown portion on a piece of greaseproof paper, brush the top lightly with a little white of egg, put the white marzipan on this, brush over with white of egg, and place the pink on top. Cover with a piece of greaseproof paper, place a weight on the top of the whole, and leave till next day. Then cut into nice cubes, and serve in little paper cases.

Not That Study

The head master of the modern school was asking Mr. Jones about his son's future attendance at the College.

"Have you any suggestions for the study asked the head-master?" "Only that it must be brown," said Mr. Jones. "I want my son to be a good thinker," and I understand that great thinkers are usually brown in a brown study.

THE EXCITING GAME OF "MAKE-UP"

A woman who has always worn greys and blues may long, perhaps, to have red. Well, why not? She will need a little extra colouring to meet the demands of the stronger shade, but with cheeks more bright and lips more gay, she should be able to wear it with triumph.

Green is something else which needs extra colour, while yellow requires warmth to match its sunshine.

Extra chic can be given to both black and white by toning the skin to have red. Well, why not? She will need a little extra colouring to meet the demands of the stronger shade, but with cheeks more bright and lips more gay, she should be able to wear it with triumph.

Discrimination must be used with regard to the choice of rouge and powder. Powder varies far more than people are aware of. Some of it is heavy and clinging. Some, light and dry. While some, is sifted and sifted until it is as soft as silk. This particular type of powder gives the skin a lovely translucent look, and is wonderful for evening use. When putting on the powder, the necessity for using a clean puff cannot be too strongly emphasised. Judging by the number of grubby puffs one sees, both on dressing



A FEW TIMELY HINTS TO THE WISE

If you are contemplating the purchase of new curtains or drapes or anything in the outfitting line in the home, it will pay you to stop in at Lane, Crawfords or Whiteaway Laidlaws as there are some wonderful bargains. Noticed some lovely cretonnes, and the prices are so very reasonable that it will surely surprise you. This is a dandy opportunity for the newly-weds as there are so many things one does need when fitting out that new home.



ICED DRINKS

Anything iced is welcome and, provided the ice is obtainable, and who not? With so many reliable firms handling all types and models of Ice Boxes. There are those handled by the well-known firms Shewan, Tomes, Reiss, Massey, Dodwell and Co., and the General Electric Company. Some folks may think this an extravagance, but it is an absolute necessity. In fact we venture to say it is an economy. Formerly the family meals were frequently spoiled owing to the supply of ice having run out, but one does not have to face these problems now-a-days. There are a thousand ways of serving a dainty wholesome dessert if one has a Kelvinator, or a Westinghouse.

ICED TEA

Make an infusion of Rickshaw Tea or some good blend of China Tea in a warmed pot, using a pint of boiling water to a dessert-spoonful of tea. Leave for three or four minutes, and then strain into a jug, stirring milk and sugar to taste. Place the jug in a basin until it has cooled a bit and then stand in your ice box. This is excellent if slices of lemon are added, in this case omit the milk.

ICED COFFEE

Pour a pint of boiling water onto two tablespoonfuls of freshly ground coffee to which a pinch of salt has been added. Give it a good stir round, and allow it to settle. Then strain into a clean jug, add an equal quantity of milk with sugar to taste. When cool place in ice box and serve very cold.

A GRAPE DRINK

Press some ripe grapes in a sieve with a wooden spoon and take the juice obtained with similar quantities of orange and lemon juice (strained). Sweeten to taste, dilute with iced water and serve in tumblers containing shaved ice.

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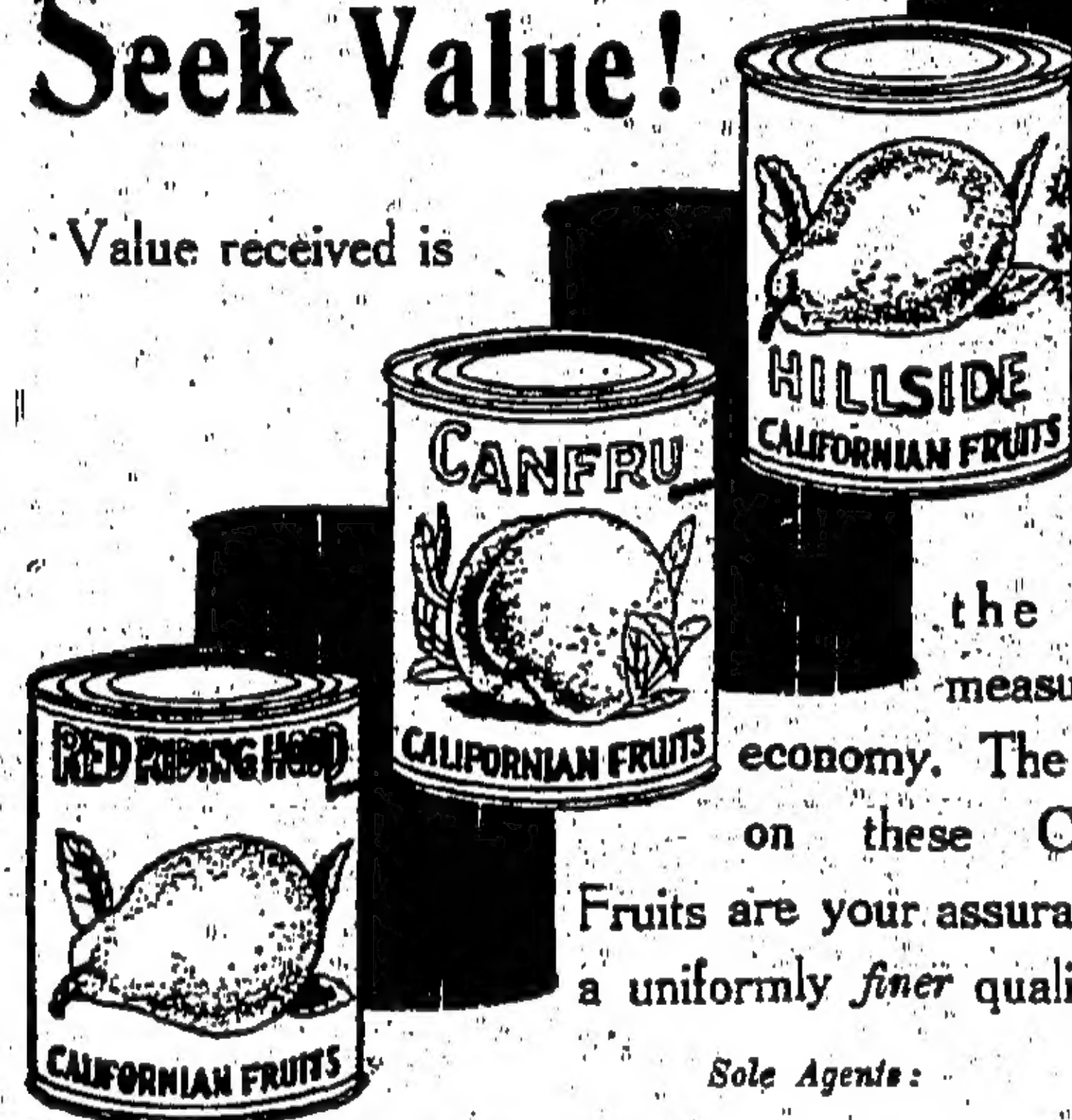
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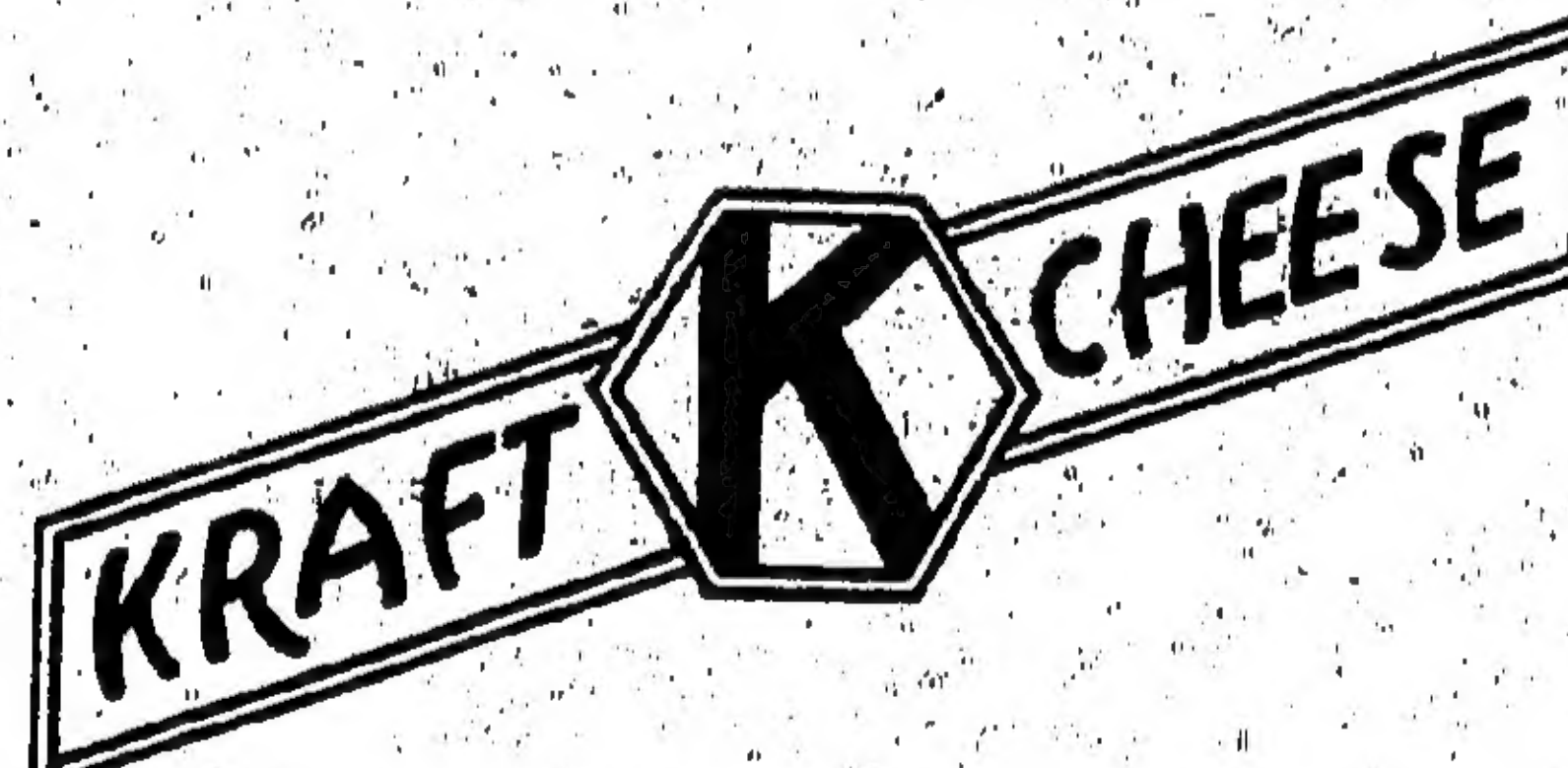
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A CUSHION WRINKLE

Before a cushion cover is filled
with feathers or with kapok down
it should be lined with cotton wad-
ding, carefully tacked so that it
cannot wrinkle or slip out of place.
The wadding helps to keep the
cushion soft and plump. New tick-
ing covers for feather pillows
should always be well rubbed with
soap on the inside before they are
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TIFFIN

HAM AND EGGS AU GRATIN
BOILED LAMB'S TONGUES
BESTROOT SALAD
NEW POTATOES
OATMEAL FRUIT PUDDING

DINNER

PEAS AND CAULIFLOWER CREAM SOUP
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STRAWBERRY CHARLOTTE
Ham and Egg au Gratin.

Five tablespoons butter, 5 table-
spoons flour, 2 1/2 cups milk, 1 cup
grated cheese, 2 cups diced boiled
ham, 3 hard boiled eggs, 1 table-
spoon butter, 1 cup crumbs. Make
a white sauce of the butter, flour
and milk. Add the cheese and stir
until melted. Add the ham and
then the eggs, sliced. Turn into a
moderate oven 380 degrees until the
crumbs are brown.

Boiled Lamb's Tongues.
Choose the largest size tongues.
Cut away as much of the waste at
the roots of the tongues as possible
and wipe off with a damp cloth.
Cover with salted water, add the
juice of one lemon, one small bay
leaf, an inch piece of stick cinnam-
on and a slice of onion stuck with
3 whole cloves. Simmer until very
tender. Cool and chill. Lay on a
plate, surround with hearts of let-
tuce and serve with Tartare Sauce,
to which a dash of mustard is added.

Oatmeal Fruit Pudding.
One cup cooked oatmeal, 2 ap-
ples, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 cup
raisins, 1 cup brown sugar, 1 tea-
spoon cinnamon. Dice the apple
fine and toss into frying pan in
which the butter has been melted.
Stir and cook until the apple is
lightly browned on all sides. Add
the sugar, turn the heat on low and
stir until the apple is well coated
with the sugar and the sugar is
beginning to melt. This gives the
pudding a nice caramel flavour.
Butter a baking dish and fill it
with alternate layers of the sea-
soned oatmeal, raisins and the ap-
ples. Sprinkle each layer with a
little cinnamon. Bake in a moder-
ate oven for 20 minutes and cover.
If you like with meringue. Figs
and dates may be used instead of
the raisins.



Vietnamese Outlets.

Mince 1 pound of lean beef, 1
pound of veal steak, 1 pound boil-
ed ham and 2 cup of dripping.
Pour all into a large bowl and mix.
Add salt and paprika to taste, 1
tablespoon grated onion, 3 table-
spoons melted dripping, 3 table-
spoons flour, 1 1/2 cup tomato soup
and sufficient milk to form a paste.
Form into neat cutlets, sprinkle
some flour dip in egg yolk diluted
in milk, roll in soft sifted bread
crumbs and saute in clarified drip-
ping. Serve with buttered and
seasoned macaroni.

THE CARE OF YOUR BLANKETS

Every housewife knows how ex-
pensive this particular household
article is! We recommend them
to give their blankets a little care
at this time of the year. Moths
and insects of every description
abound on all sides at this season.
Our advice therefore is to send
them to some dependable cleaner,
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(Continued on next column).

MOSTLY MERINGUES

However cunningly it is flavour-
ed cream with meringues gets a
little hackneyed. A can of Bouleah
pears will provide an alternative.

All you do is to place a half be-
tween two meringue cases. And
they should be as cold as possible.
Apple meringue is quite usual.
The addition to the apple purée
of two good tablespoonfuls of
apricot purée (made from dried
apricots) will make all the differ-
ence, or else Bouleah canned apri-
cots.

Mix this and the apples well to-
gether, pour the mixture into a
dish, cover with a meringue,
sprinkle with powdered sugar, and
cook in the oven till the top is a
creamy brown.

This is a pleasant light sweet,
and easy to make. Stew some
apples to a pulp, and sweeten and
flavour with a taste of grated
lemon rind. Add to it a good
spoonful of finely chopped candied
orange peel, and put it into a glass
dish.

Meanwhile you will have soaked
in a little rum for an hour some
slices of orange, carefully cut with-
out pips or pith. These you will
now use to decorate the purée.

RUSTY GRATE BARS

The bars of a kitchen grate fre-
quently become red with rust and
consequently will not polish. It
will be found, however, that if the
following method is used the bars
will polish smoothly and no trace
of rust will be visible. Place a
small piece of soap in the tin with
the stove polish. Fill a jug with
water, adding a few drops of tur-
pentine. First dip the grate brush
in this water and then rub in the
polish until the soap lathers. Ap-
ply it swiftly to the grate bars and
polish with a hard brush. A final
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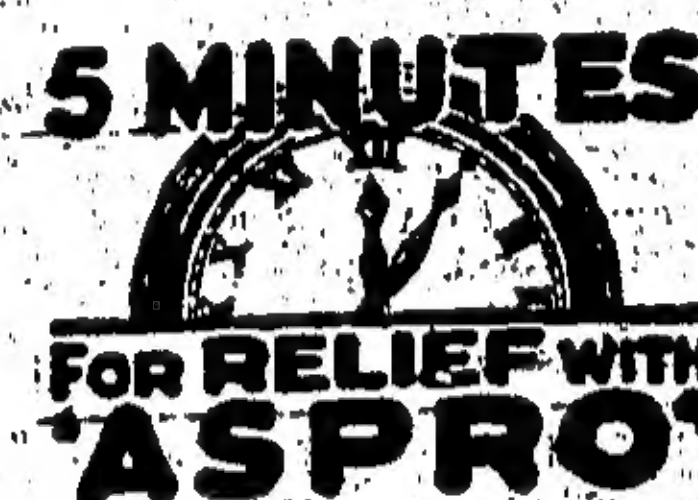
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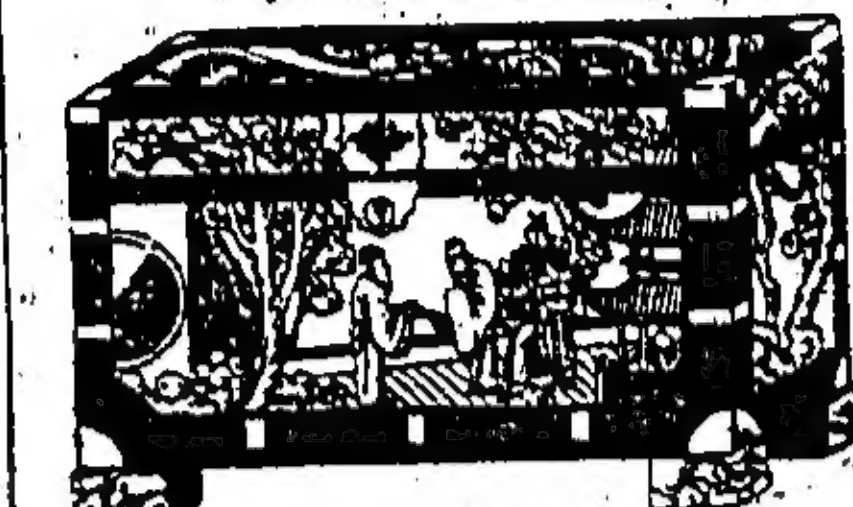
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12.30 p.m.—European programme
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1 p.m.—Local time and weather re-
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1.30 p.m.—Rugby Press news, etc.
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6 to 8.16 p.m.—"Wand of Youth"
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Cello Solo—"Mazurka" (Pop-
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Song—"Robin Adair" (Keppel).
Song—"The Last Rose of Sum-
mer" (Moore)—Francis Alda
(Soprano).—1188.

Violin Solo—"Rondino" (Kreisel-
ler).

Violin Solo—"Fair Rosemary"
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1386.

Song—"Devotion" (Wenda-
Haydn Wood).

Song—"I Look Into Your Gar-
den" (Wilmott-Haydn Wood).
—John McCormack (Tenor).—
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Piano Solo—"Turkish March"
(Beethoven).

Piano Solo—"Brooklet" (Schu-
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7.14 to 8 p.m.—Variety.

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Organ Solo—"Why Can't You?"
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4.15.—Brass Band Concert (gramo-
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ECHOES OF 1858

33.—Attack on the Social Evil in Hong Kong

JULY 28, 1858

Objecting as we always have done on the grounds of propriety, to the promulgation of the Brothel Ordinance, we are free to admit that philanthropy cannot find a more praiseworthy object to exercise its functions upon, than the legitimate ends of that ordinance. It is most desirable that sailors should be spared the horrors of making a sea voyage with a loathsome disease upon them, which if it does not prove fatal, will most likely incapacitate them from pursuing their vocation, and throw them into an almshouse for the remainder of their days. Again, we cannot conceive an object more worthy of pity than the inmate of the brothels. Spared from being the victim of infanticide, the unhappy creature is kept until she shall arrive at the age of maturity for the price she will then bring for the purpose of prostitution. The unfortunate is sold as if they were oxen, and are victims to crime, not perpetrators of it. Such a state of affairs cannot be remedied, but when a Christian colony comes to be a market for these unfortunate children it certainly becomes the duty of the government of that Colony to check the evil which cannot be controlled, and to alleviate the misery which such a state of affairs inevitably entails. It is horrible to contemplate the feelings of a poor Chinese girl, torn from home almost in her childhood and confined to the care of a heartless keeper of a brothel—to find herself the victim of a loathsome disease, and then to discover that the redress provided for her by the laws of the white man is to be sent to jail for a period not exceeding three months.

Better, far better had it been, if the feelings of humanity had not saved her from infanticide at her birth. The ordinance provides her a hospital it is true, but what a world is open to her when she comes out!

We have often adverted in strong terms upon the unscrupulous manner which the government of this colony helps itself to revenue. For instance, in the matter of Emigration, heavy licensing fees were levied upon the broker, and a small one exacted on the tickets. The Harbour Master was assigned the office of Emigration Officer without fee or reward, and all the money received for licences and tickets, simply became that much net revenue. The object of taxing emigration should surely be to enable Government to provide such an establishment as can exercise surveillance and prevent fraud and abuse.

We will not go so far as to say that Government has repeated the same disgraceful financial trick with the brothels, but this we do assert, that our authorities have saddled themselves with a most serious responsibility touching Chinese prostitution in this Colony.

Under such circumstances as we have attempted to describe, we say that our Government have received out of the wages of the social evil, very large sums of money, and that instead of applying such sums to the alleviation of misery, the decrease of disease, and the prevention of crime, they allow by their apathy, the money to accumulate, we suppose for the benefit of the poor children who have not yet arrived at the age of reasoning.

HAINAN NOTES

A BENEVOLENT GOVERNOR

(From Our Own Correspondent)

KACHEK, July 28.

General Sir Han Koang is now much interested in the development of the Miao and Loe people of Hainan, and the communists have been put down sufficiently to allow attention to other things. He is requiring each ten families of the tribespeople to furnish one man for military service, and is promising sums of money to help establish elementary schools. For instance, \$800.00 has been granted to the Miao of six groups, with the understanding that two central schools be established, the money to be paid over to two responsible head men when detailed plans have been submitted. People in Hainan are very appreciative of the services the general has rendered, and there was much grief when rumors were circulated that he was to be moved to the mainland. Apparently however he is to remain in the island for the present at least.

Synod Held at Kungchow.

On July 4 the Synod of Hainan, a gathering of members of the Church of Christ in China, was convened in Kungchow for its annual meeting. There are five ordained Chinese ministers in the synod, and plans are on foot to ordain two more, one as pastor of the Kungchow City church and the other as pastor of the second organized church in Limko district. Following the synod meeting a conference was held for the pastors, evangelistic workers and lay leaders of the church, the attendance being about seventy. The guest speakers were the Rev. Chester G. Fuson of the American Presbyterian Mission, Canton, who gave a series of talks based on "The Christ of the Classroom," studies in religious education, and the Rev. Paul Lyn, also of Canton, who gave devotional and inspirational addresses.

Visitors.

An unusual number of visitors have been noted in Hainan recently. Miss Byrd Rice of the China Council office of the Presbyterian Church, Shanghai, spent her vacation with her sister, Mrs. D. S. Tappan of Kungchow. Miss May Bel Thompson of the W. F. M. S. Women's Bible School, Kungchow, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. S. P. Sexton of Nodou. When Mr. Fuson of Canton came to Hainan for the summer conference he was accompanied by Mrs. Fuson and by his aged mother, Mrs. A. L. Fuson, eighty-four years old, who made the

trip especially to visit her first great-grandchild, little Yola Adele Burkwall of Kachek.

Steamer Service.

It is unfortunate that just at the season of the year when passengers are most numerous, steamer facilities should be the poorest for months. The Butterfield and Swire boats are the regular ones on the run and just now the steamers on the Haiphong-Hong Kong schedule have only one or two first class cabins. These are usually taken in Haiphong and passengers desiring accommodations from Hoihow to Hong Kong are often very hard put to it. The French steamer "Tonkin" makes the regular trip every two weeks, but travel on it involves an extra day because of the stop at Fort Bayard (Kwangchowan). Bangkok steamers have good accommodation for passengers but rarely call at Hoihow on the trip up to Hong Kong.

perly covered up so as to prevent cockroaches from getting at it.

Known Methods of Treatment.

I cannot very well close this short address without a word on treatment. Briefly, the modern method of treatment of cancer may be said to be

By operation and use of high frequency currents.
By Radium
By X-Ray.

By combination of these methods. It is not possible in a general address to enter into the pros and cons of these methods, whose relative merits may still be said to be sub judice.

But for an operation to be fully beneficial, the growth must be completely removed—root and all, as it were, and this in many cases is only possible if treatment is resorted to early. The case of the young woman, whom I have mentioned, is a happy instance of what may be accomplished if patients come early. But too often, they come too late. In many cases, in cancer of the breast for example, they have either on their own initiative, or on the unfortunate advice of some herbal doctors, attempted to remove the growth by applying some powerful counter-irritants and the result has been disastrous.

Again let me say the most practical advice I can give you is—If in doubt consult your own doctor, and never attempt to apply counter-irritants to any tumour in an endeavour to remove it, unless you are sure it is not cancer. If it is, counter-irritations will do no good, and may only serve to seal the victim's doom.

THE CANCER PROBLEM

Address By Dr. S. W. Phoon

A REAL DANGER FROM COCKROACHES

At a recent meeting of the Y's Men's Club, Dr. S. W. Phoon, Superintendent of the Tung Wah Hospital, gave an instructive address on the cancer problem.

Dr. Phoon is a Rockefeller Research student and his address was illustrated with a series of photographs, which he had collected for his own use.

Dr. Phoon said:—It is not without cause that thinking people throughout the world are much concerned with this problem of cancer. Statistics on the incidence of cancer, and opinions of doctors working in different parts of the world are alarming and indicate that the disease is actually increasing.

Thus in England and Wales for example in 1923, the total number of deaths from cancer was 48,668; in 1924 the number had increased to 50,389, and this was the highest on record for that country. In Germany, in 1921, the number of cancer deaths was 55,058, in 1922, it had gone up to 63,564, an increase of 8,506 in four years.

In Hong Kong and China, in the absence of reliable statistics, one cannot give a definite opinion, but one's impression is that the disease is by no means uncommon, and yet years ago, the opinion existed in certain quarters in Europe and America, that cancer was unknown among the Chinese!

Hong Kong Different.

As regards the way cancer attacks people—in practically all European and American countries, the disease is mostly found in the stomach, alimentary canal and Liver, but that certainly does not seem to be one's experience in Hong Kong. Here one's impression is that cancer of the throat tops the list, and next follows the female genitalia and breast.

While cancer commonly occurs at the age of 40 or 45, it is not unknown in the very young and the old. The question has often been asked, how does one know that one has cancer?

The answer to that is not easy. In cancer of the stomach, some early signs are chronic indigestion and loss of weight, but these in themselves are not sufficiently definite and Radiological or X-Ray examinations and laboratory investigations are needed and the only practical advice I can give you is, if in doubt consult your doctor. On this point, it is worthwhile to get a competent and conscientious doctor to look you over once a year.

Public Can Co-operate.

The public can co-operate with the doctor in detecting cancer. I remember some years ago, a young woman came to me with a small lump in her breast, about the size of a small nut. It was not giving her any trouble and not even paining her, but she had been told that a lump in the breast may be cancer. I advised her to have the small lump removed, and if it proved to be cancer, then more extensive and thorough removal of the whole organ was essential. She consented, the tumour turned out to be cancer. The operation was then performed, and she made recovery.

What Causes Cancer?

As to the question—what causes cancer? I wish I knew—for fortune, international fame and honour awaits the man who can give correct answers to these questions.

It has long been known that irritation over any length of time causes cancer; thus, for example, in has been observed that cancer of the lip in smokers has been due to chronic irritation caused by hot clay pipes; cancer of the tongue, has often been found to be due to irritation from a broken tooth.

The Cockroach Menace.

In Denmark, some experimenters found that the stomach of cockroaches are often infected with the larvae of a certain type of worm. Animals fed on food mixed with these cockroaches, have cancer of the stomach, and it is claimed that by these means the experimenters have succeeded in raising the incidence of cancer in these animals from 1 in 1,000 to 1 in 2,000. If these observations were correct, and there is no reason to doubt them, the facts and figures are sufficiently startling. For one thing, these experiments show what insidious pests cockroaches are! Not only are they now known to be a potential source of cancer, but they have been said to be responsible also for causing Leprosy. I kill cockroaches whenever I see them, because they spoil my books, but in view of the other mischief caused by them, I should like to pass the habit on so that you will also kill cockroaches as tight. One useful way is to have all waste food and garbage pro-

(Continued on previous column).

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In the following article many aspects of the problem of poverty in Hong Kong are discussed and some of the revelations made will surely be an eye-opener to those who are not in personal contact with the poorer side of Hong Kong's life.

The proportion of the extremely poor in the community in Hong Kong is very high and the hard life they lead and the conditions under which they live cannot be truly portrayed by any writer. Conditions must be seen to be understood.

It is intended to deal, first of all, with the various classes of poor people in the Colony and then with the question of what is being done to alleviate their condition.

RICKSHAW COOLIES

The next time you ride a rickshaw, take a good look at the coolie who is pulling you. As his body bobs up and down between the shafts of his rickshaw note the clothing he is wearing. Of coarse material is his coat, very much weather worn and patched all over the place. You wonder why every rickshaw coolie wears so dilapidated a jacket and perhaps you will also wonder why they do not make any effort to keep their clothing in a better state. The truth is simple. As their daily task is of so arduous a nature, the first essential is to preserve their health. The average earning of a rickshaw coolie is about 40 cents a day. With this princely sum he has to pay for his food, rent, clothing and medicine. Of these four items, needless to say food is the biggest item and daily each coolie requires a minimum of two meals costing ten cents each.

Rickshaw coolies live together in groups of twenty and thirty. One group will occupy an ordinary Chinese flat and work in shifts. There will be bed spaces for half the number of people living in the house. When one half of the occupants are out on the streets the other half occupies the beds, and when the others return to the house, those who have been resting will go out.

Ten Hours a Day.

An ordinary coolie works about ten hours a day, most of which, however, is spent sitting in the rickshaw waiting for custom. The daily takings amount to seventy or eighty cents, out of which the hire of the rickshaw has to be met, leaving about forty to fifty cents for the coolie himself. After paying for his food the coolie has to pay rent and meet other incidental expenses, which leaves him practically nothing.

When he is ill a couple of coppers at a Chinese herbalist's will buy him a drink of medicinal tea, and if this proves ineffective he will have to see a Chinese "native" doctor which again will cost him a few ten-cent pieces as will the prescription of herbs and twigs.

Again there is his licence to pay for at regular intervals and from time to time, he makes an appearance at the Police Courts for a breach of the traffic regulations. All these mean money and the rickshaw coolie has to find it all out of the forty or fifty cents he earns.

The chair coolies are not very much better off than the rickshaw pullers, but there is a much harder life. With the introduction of taxis, buses and motor cars, the popularity of chairs has diminished greatly in the past few years and it will not be long before the last of the chair coolies will be seen. There is keen competition to-day at the few chair stands that still remain but even this business is gradually slipping away.

"Dirty" Weather a Blessing

The weather plays a large part in the takings of rickshaw and chair coolies. In fine weather patrons are very much fewer than in the rainy weather, so at least one section of the poor prays for "dirty" weather.

Most of the coolies engaged in this business come from Swatow but few bring their families with them, the reason being obvious. Those with their families here carry on an existence the hardship of which can well be imagined, especially since it is considered a bounden duty of the Chinese of the old-fashioned type to have children to carry on the worship of their ancestors.

CARGO COOLIES

Hong Kong being one of the biggest shipping centres of the world, there are a large number of people employed in the work of handling cargo that enters and leaves the port. Of this number, by far the

greatest is the cargo coolie. Everywhere along the waterfront you will see these hard working people on the lookout for work. They are dexterous and very reliable. With a bamboo pole and a few ropes they can move big cases from ship to godown in perfect safety.

Cargo coolies also lead a very precarious existence. Competition is very keen and each man stations himself at certain places. For instance, steamers along Connaught Road West are a certain number of coolies and this band will work on all the ships that tie up at that particular wharf. There is very little "poaching" of work and it is this that enables them to demand a living wage for what they do. If it were not for the fact that "cut-throat" tactics are taboo, cargo coolies would be given very little. As it is, employers have to pay the price that is asked or go without coolies, but it must be mentioned in fairness to the coolies that the price asked is never too high.

Here again the weather affects their business. On a fine day plenty of cargo is worked between godowns and ships and from shop to shop. Also there is more movement on the waterfront and consequently more chance of employment. Like the rickshaw and chair coolies, the waterfront workers are very poor for they are never sure of a day's work. There are few among their number who are regularly employed. When they are afflicted with sickness a very serious problem arises.

STREET COOLIES

Street coolies—those who are employed for little odd jobs from time to time—lead a life that has nothing to relieve its hardship. They hang about in street corners and at other likely places. Several of them would own one bamboo pole between them and a few lengths of rope. Rain or shine, these coolies will be found at the same spot. They live in what is known as coolie-houses, run by a man who would provide a bed space for the night for a consideration.

Naturally, the earnings of these coolies are limited by the amount of work going and by the competition that they meet with in the district in which they operate. As a rule they earn a few ten-cent pieces each day. They are very hard working but do not possess the dexterity shown by the waterfront and cargo coolies. This is probably due to the fact that their employers are people who only occasionally require the services of these coolies and they therefore do not make an effort to become "intelligent" in their work.

The Gambling Habit.

Those who have never studied the question will wonder why these coolies spend most of their time gambling with each other at street corners. The real reason is that during the day they spend most of their time waiting for custom and the intervals of waiting, being long and weary, they can think of nothing better than to pass their time by all forms of gaming within their means. A street coolie is often a very clever gambler!

This class of people are forced to subsist on very little and considering the meagre food they eat, they are a remarkably hardy type as they can carry enormous loads that would prove heavy even for a well-trained and properly developed athlete. The writer has seen a load of three hundred pounds carried by a coolie on one shoulder!

In spite of their poverty quite a

KIANGSI AND THE REDS

Half-Hearted Govt. Troops

SIDE-LIGHTS ON THE KULING CONFERENCE

(From Our Special Correspondent)

KIUKIANG, July 25. The Weather has been most favourable to the rice and bumper crops are reported from every place. That is in the big Rivers districts and in the Districts controlled by Government troops; but unfortunately rice was not planted in some country districts where the Government troops contented themselves with staying at their headquarters and doing nothing to prevent communist incursions.

As far as the anti-Red campaign is concerned, the only telegram we see in the papers comes from the Canton side. It seems that the Nanking troops are very inactive in comparison. In fact it looks as if a tacit compromise has been made between the troops and the Reds: "It is too hot to do anything now; stay where you are and I will not attack you."

The Kuling Conference.

Recruiting is also a standstill. The transfer of troops seems to be finished, and the few recruits who come from Hankow amount practically to nothing. And as the Military conference is now in full swing at Kuling we can only wait the conclusion to know what has been the matter. Contradictory reports are made on that conference. Yesterday Wang Ching Wei would not come to Kuling, to-day Mrs. Wang has left Shanghai for Nanking, so Mr. Wang Ching Wei will come to Kuling. Yesterday they would not discuss the question of the Reds. To-day somebody has put it on the agenda.!!!

That man has realized that there is a Red question. Believe me, Sir, there is a Red question, and when you are apt to forget it, the Reds are there to make you remember. At the beginning of July a decision was taken to shorten the supply of Reds!

The Salt Business.

The salt business is very active, very much more than other lines. That certainly means that the buyers are Reds; well, let us shorten the stocks of salt in the shops, so the Reds can buy only a little. You forget, my Dear Sir, that when the Reds want salt they simply capture a big City and take all the salt in two hours. That happened on the 8th of July to Fengcheng, a big market place and the residence of a magistrate on the Kan River. That certainly was a big loss of face for all the plan-makers!

Rumour has been more and more persistent that a certain district will be burned to make a buffer area between the government lines (Kan River and Fuchow River) and the Reds. There is no possibility of any buffer as the Reds are everywhere. Those plans are all wrong. The only thing to do is to make the soldiers fight, and when they consent to fight they must fight with a stronger will than the Reds. That is all.

RADIOS AND A DACTYLOTYPE

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The forthcoming auction sale of radios and radio-gramophones which is being organized by Radio Services, Ltd., should provide a good opportunity for those people who wish to dispose of their old radio set and buy a more up-to-date model, and also to those who are looking for a radio, in working order, for a small outlay. The promoters of the auction are insisting that the sets put up for sale shall be in working order, and arrangements have been made to demonstrate their capabilities at the time of sale.

The auction will take place at 5 p.m. on Thursday, August 31, and will be conducted by Messrs. Lambert Bros. Apart from the wireless sets for sale there will be the novel attraction of seeing a Dactylo-dictator put up for auction. Intending visitors may be relieved to hear that this Dactylo-dictator (male) will be secure during the proceedings in a specially made cage.

Further particulars will be found elsewhere in this issue.

number of coolies are afflicted with the opium-smoking habit, and since they cannot afford the ordinary opium, they take to smoking opium dross. An opium smoker among the ranks of the coolies has little money left for food and other necessities and it is not long before he crumples under the strain of his very hard life. Few coolies live to a ripe old age, the reason being obvious.

(to be continued)

CLAIM AGAINST DRY-CLEANERS

JUDGMENT FOR MR. W. G. FISCHER

Judgment was given by Mr. Justice Lindell for Mr. W. G. Fischer in the case in which he claimed damages from the International Dyeing and Dry Cleaning Company in respect of clothing which the latter company is alleged to have washed with soap and water instead of dry-cleaning.

Mr. Justice Lindell found that the evidence had established the plaintiff's case and gave judgment for the amount of depreciation which the clothing had suffered.

The piece of evidence on which the case was decided was the obliteration of the mark on the tailor's tabs in the pockets of the coats which, according to expert witnesses, could not have been caused by dipping the coat in benzine or gasoline.

MAGISTRATE AND SOLICITOR

ASPERITIES IN TRADE MARK CASE

There was a "breeze" in Mr. Wynne-Jones' Court yesterday afternoon during the resumed hearing of the case in which the Star Battery Factory was summoned for an alleged infringement of the trade mark of the Merry Battery Factory.

Mr. Leo D'Almada snr., was examining his client (the defendant) when his Worship remarked that he (Mr. D'Almada) must not ask "leading questions like that." Mr. D'Almada: If your Worship thinks I do not know the art of conducting my own case, I'd rather retire!

Mr. Wynne-Jones: I'm sure you do.

Continuing, Mr. D'Almada asked the defendant if the receipts which he, Mr. D'Almada produced were not for the printing of "Flying Hand Labels." Witness said that they were and that the reason why he was sure of it was because that was the first order they had given to that particular firm of printers. There was, however, no reference to the particular labels in the receipt.

Mr. Wynne-Jones: Why do you put these bills in front of me, Mr. D'Almada?

Mr. D'Almada: I am putting them before your Worship for what they are worth, but if you do not accept them, your Worship will make a note that you have rejected them, that's all.

Mr. Wynne-Jones: I wish you would not waste my time, Mr. D'Almada.

Mr. D'Almada: And I wish your Worship would not waste mine. Mr. D'Almada continued that the witness had definitely stated that the receipts were in respect of "Flying Hand" labels although it was not as stated in them.

Continuing, his examination-in-chief, Mr. D'Almada asked witness when he first knew the complainant's trade mark was registered.

Witness: When the police came to seize the goods in our shop. After Mr. Rendall had cross-examined the witness briefly, the case was adjourned until Tuesday afternoon.

JAPANESE POLITICAL MURDERS

THE MURDERER'S OBJECT

Toyko.—Our aim was not necessarily directed at killing him so much as at causing retrospection on the part of the leaders and waking up the phylax through our direct action," was the statement of Goro Hashimura (29), when he was interrogated by Judge Sakamaki on a charge of assassinating the late Baron Takuma Dan.

The day's trial was chiefly directed to the inquiry of the process through which how he became acquainted with Nishio Inoue, and what made him to participate in the Katsumedai case.

After describing his view on the conditions of the starving farmers and the corrupt financiers and politicians, he admitted that at first he was instructed to assassinate Count Miyaji Ito and then the late Junnosuke Inoue, and that in both cases their strict guard frustrated his aim before he finally accomplished his task against the late Baron Dan.

The French Minister to Siam, M. B. Magras, who was a guest of the French Legation in Peking for the past fortnight, has left for France via Siberia.

LOCAL AIR MAIL TO EUROPE

Representative Of Dutch Air Line Here

PRAISES COLONY'S POSTAL ARRANGEMENTS

An interesting interview was granted to our representative by Mr. M. C. Moes, visiting inspector of the Royal Dutch Air Lines, who arrived in Hong Kong yesterday. Mr. Moes intends to visit the agents of the Dutch Line in the leading cities of the Far East.

Mr. Moes will be in the Colony for a week during which time he will study local conditions. He assured our representative that for the present at least the K.L.M. (Royal Dutch Air Line) do not propose to extend their air service either from Singapore or Java to Hongkong. "Our Company has no immediate plans of extending our service to this part of the world," he said. "We are specializing on the Amsterdam-Batavia line and are not thinking of extending our line to Hongkong or of operating in China."

Wanted to Try New Line.

In answer to another question Mr. Moes said he had heard about The Pan-American Line taking over the interests of China National Airways. In one respect he was rather disappointed, as he had been hoping to travel to Shanghai from Hongkong by air, and he was sorry to find that the line was not working yet.

Asked why the K.L.M. did not contemplate extending their line to Hongkong, Mr. Moes said the Dutch Company had to stick to their main object which was the linking up of Holland with her Colonies in the Far East. The Company had other lines in Europe and for the moment it was not thought wise to have lines all over the world.

Mr. Moes told our representative that the Royal Dutch Air Line was greatly obliged to the Hongkong Postal authorities for the arrangements they had made with regard to Air Mail from Hongkong. The mail steamers left every week from Hongkong for Singapore taking five days under normal conditions and the Air Line from Singapore to Amsterdam and London occupied seven days for the voyage, so that mails from Hongkong reached London within a fortnight, which was very good going, he thought. Business men in Hongkong whom I have been able to see have expressed satisfaction with this arrangement," he added.

Linking China and Java.

With regard to the possibility of linking China and Java by air, Mr. Moes said that he saw no difficulty. Flying conditions were perfect and as soon as business in China picked up sufficiently to justify such a service, no doubt it will be instituted. The Chinese population of Java were mostly from South China and such an air service would be greatly appreciated by them besides being of inestimable value to China herself. At the able value to China herself. At the moment there were no schemes to start this line but there is a distinct possibility of it in the future.

A question of competition between the different air lines was raised by our representative, but Mr. Moes said that there was a spirit of friendly co-operation between the different air lines. "Competition," he said, "can be very healthy and can be very fair and friendly."

Asked what he thought of our local aerodrome, Mr. Moes replied that he had not had time to see Kai Tak, but he had heard about it and proposed to visit it at an early date.

A SCALLYWAG

IN UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OF A HANDBAG.

"He is a type of scallywag whom we are trying to get rid of," remarked Detective Sub-Inspector O'Donovan prosecuting Fung Yig, who came before Mr. Schofield, at the Central Magistracy, yesterday, for the third time, on a charge of unlawful possession of a ladies black leather handbag.

Defendant was remanded twice before for the owner of the bag to be traced, and Sub-Inspector O'Donovan informed the Court that thanks to the publicity given in the Press the claimant, Mrs. A. F. Dalgado, had come forward. She lost the bag while travelling in a tramcar to the Oriental Theatre, but never reported the matter to the police. She, however, notified the Tramway Company.

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MEMBERS are reminded that the 46th Annual General Meeting will be held in the Club-house on Thursday, 3rd August, 1933, at 5.45 P.M.

W. PRYDE,
Acting Hon. Secretary.

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A N INTERIM DIVIDEND of 50 cents per Share has been declared payable on WEDNESDAY, 23rd AUGUST next, on and after which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained upon application at the Registered Office of the Company Canal Road East, Pownington, Hong Kong.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the REGISTER of MEMBERS of the Company will be closed on WEDNESDAY, 9th, to FRIDAY, 22nd AUGUST, 1933, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
W. F. SIMMONS,
Secretary.
Hong Kong, 1st August, 1933. [1045]

THE HONG KONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY COMPANY, LIMITED.

A N INTERIM DIVIDEND of TWO DOLLARS per share for the six months ended 31st June, 1933, will be payable on WEDNESDAY, 16th August, on which date Dividend Warrants may be obtained on application at the Company's Offices 8, Chater Road.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the REGISTER of SHARES of the Company will be CLOSED from FRIDAY the 4th August to TUESDAY the 15th August (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of Directors.
L. S. GREENHILL,
Secretary.
Hong Kong, 28th July, 1933.

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THE GOVERNMENT AND THE CITIZEN

There are several signs that the Government of the Colony in their plans for the future are overlooking important factors, of a human and personal nature. In any form of bureaucratic government it is fatally easy to think solely in terms of maps, statistics and balance sheets, forgetting that these are the reflection of human activities, and that any serious dislocation of the human beings concerned quickly tumbles down the most impressive edifice of paper prosperity. To the man whose working days are spent in his office and his leisure in an official residence, an area at North Point is so many square inches on the map, now bringing in a certain revenue. In his basket lies an offer to develop the area, industrially. It will mean so much more in Crown rent and rates, the factory will produce so much merchandise, which will in turn benefit transport, shipping, insurance and many other activities. There will also be a working class area, and a space so designated goes down in the plan. What a wonderful phrase is, "industrial development"; no wonder it has been for a couple of centuries the spoil child of nearly every Government in the world, and permitted to do exactly as it pleases. No matter how foul a "working class area" may grow up, a Hunghom in this Colony, a Black Country slum in England, let the magic words "industrial development" be mentioned and all possible facilities are forthcoming even when the market is glutted, and the enterprise concerned has the slenderest chance of enduring success.

We suggest that the Government, which has developed the Colony up to now with wisdom and foresight, is tending to make an error in sacrificing essential amenities without due consideration of the factors involved. The two big instances are the bathing beaches at North Point and the use to which the marine site in Chatham Road is to be put. It is quite possible that the

future of this Colony will be largely what is termed, residential. The lesson of the Great Slump is that world production and world trade have their limits. There is no guarantee that the trade of this port is going to grow indefinitely. True the hinterland of South China is crying out for commodities, but China moves slowly, is subject to set-back, and very anxious to produce all she can for herself. The record of the last ten years by no means suggests an accelerating demand for increased shipping and godown facilities. Moreover if, as everyone hopes the demand does arise, the logical sites on the mainland for such development are in the Yaumati-Shamshui and Lai-chi-kok areas to the West, and between Kai Tak and Hunghom to the East.

Already the Colony has a huge population of well-to-do people of many national communities, and bitter complaints are heard of shortage of playing fields, of playgrounds, open spaces and bathing facilities. If the hoped-for developments do take place there will be increasing numbers of educated and moderately well paid people in the Colony. It will be impossible to mark off an area "dwelling houses" and think the human problem is thereby settled.

This is to be the Cardiff of the East! A nice attraction indeed! What a pity that was not said before valuable buildings were erected in the area concerned. The marine front now skirted by the railway could be made into a magnificent promenade, with valuable hotel and residential property, public gardens, places of amusement and bathing pools. These are the requirements of a modern population, and an immense profit would accrue to the Government, and those undertaking these forms of enterprise. Unfortunately, many years back, someone marked on the map, "for godowns and coal dumps," and the fact is not yet recognised that an intelligent anticipation has gone astray.

The resumption of the North Point bathing beach area has the appearance of equally shortsighted and inconsiderate action, antagonising a vast body of Chinese opinion and depriving thousands of people of an amenity to which they have every right. Here are two matters where a careful examination of all aspects of the problem are needed, and if the Government finds that the welfare of the Colony as a whole requires the destruction of a real amenity at North Point, and a

BIRTHS.
KENDAL WARD.—On July 25, 1933, at Stratton, Gloucester, to Mr. and Mrs. A. Kendal Ward, a son.
PEARSON.—On July 25, 1933, at the International Hospital, Hankow, to Barbara, wife of T. C. G. Pearson, a daughter.
STONE.—On July 26, 1933, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Mr. and Mrs. B. Stone (nee Crandall), a son.

DEATHS.
KELEN.—On July 25, 1933, Dorrit, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Kelen, at their residence, 151, Route Magnin, in her fourth week.
PETERSEN.—On July 25, 1933, at Shanghai, Martino Alphonso Petersen, aged 63 years.
WHITEHEAD.—On July 27, 1933, in Shanghai, James Antonio, Sergeant (Toni) Whitehead, aged 44 years. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Whitehead.
ILYNA.—On July 25, 1933, at Shanghai, Miss O. V. Ilyna, in her 67th year.
WONG.—On July 25, 1933, at his residence on Scott Road Extension, Wong Kok Shan, aged 62 years (General Manager Chung Hwa Steel Products Co., Ltd.).

OBITUARY

MR. JOHN F. O. COLEMAN

The remains of the late Mr. John F. O. Coleman, a sub-officer of the Shanghai Fire Brigade who was accidentally drowned at Pootoo were interred in the Hungiao Road Cemetery in the presence of a large attendance of mourners. The hearse accompanied by the pall-bearers, Messrs. Bauld, Wallace, Somers, Old, Goldman and Saunders, left the mortuary at 3.30 p.m. and proceeded slowly along Hange Road past the Hongkong Fire Station where the members of that station were lined up to pay their last tribute to their deceased comrade, a similar procedure being followed at the Sinza Station in Avenue Road. At the junction of Avenue Road and Kiaochoh Road the main body awaited the cortege, being headed by Captain H. G. Reed, Acting Chief Officer who was the chief mourner. Preceded by a detachment of mounted troopers, the cortege proceeded slowly along Jessfield Road and Yu Tuen Road past the Bubbling Well Fire Station where deceased had been stationed. There was drawn up a large detachment of firemen who saluted their comrade as he passed, and the cortege as the mourners were dispersed to reassemble at the cemetery where the service was conducted by the Very Rev. Dean Trivett. At the close of the service the foreign firemen and also representatives from the Police, marched past the open grave and saluted.

R. HALLIDAY

Bangkok, July 19.—The week's obituary list includes Dr. Halliday, the foremost authority on the Mon language in the East, and the author of a Mon-English dictionary and a monograph on the Mon people, published respectively by the Siam Society and the Government of India. The Government of India recognised his services by conferring on him the Kais-i-Hind gold medal, and Bangkok University conferred the D. Litt. Mr. Halliday was arranging to retire when he died. His life work was devoted to Burma and Siam.

MR. WONG KOK SHAN

Shanghai, July 28.—The death of Mr. Wong Kok Shan, general manager of the Chung Hwa Steel Products Co., Ltd., and elder brother of Dr. Wong Chung Hui, ex-President of the Judicial Yuan, occurred at his residence in Scott Road yesterday morning at the age of 62. The funeral will be held on Saturday by interment being in the Presbyterian Cemetery, Fah See Chiao, Chapel.

Born in Kwangtung province in 1873, Mr. Wong received his education at home and then entered Queen's College in Hongkong. After graduation he was appointed a teacher in the Peiyang University of Tientsin in 1903. In 1908, Mr. Wong gave up teaching to become the agent of the Chinese Engineering and Mining Co. at Tientsin. In 1902, he was awarded the brevet rank of Taotai by the Government, and in the following year was appointed commissioner of the Canton-Hankow Railway. Mr. Wong came to Shanghai in 1905 to assume a similar position on the Shanghai-Nanking Railway. In 1908 he became the commercial manager of the Haneyehing Iron and Coal Co. and in 1913 was appointed commercial manager of the Yangtze Engineering Works at Hankow. He soon returned to Shanghai to take up the post of general manager of the Chung Hwa Steel Products Co., Ltd.

Mr. Wong is survived by his wife, four sons, two daughters, two sisters and three brothers. Dr. Wong Chung Hui, Mr. C. Y. Wang, mining engineer in Hankow, and Mr. C. C. Wong.

potential one at Kowloon, at least the reasons for such decision should be fully stated.

★ News and Views ★

Mr. Baldwin's Triumph.

Says a leading American newspaper. Mr. Stanley Baldwin, leader of the Conservatives, has won a victory over his own party comparable with any that has been won by any party leader in England in the last half century. He has saved his party from itself and in so doing has saved the National Government and has enabled it to embark with confidence upon its great work of conferring a self-governing constitution upon the people of India.

The Turn of the Tide.

"No nation can live and prosper if it seeks to live for itself alone," declared Sir William Carr-Saunders, a former president of the Association of British Chambers of Commerce. Actions and reactions are the direct consequences of a too intense development of nationalism as opposed to international trade relations. They have manifested themselves in various ways in different places, but the root cause is the same; it is the failure of recognition that trade means exchange, and that you must buy if you want to sell. Sir William declared that signs were not lacking that a turn in the tide in respect to the accumulation of stocks was taking place, and that world consumption would be in excess of this year's production in more than one important group.

"There is plenty of credit to finance the world's trade if confidence be restored. A marked increase in the price of world commodities is the only means of restoring world confidence at the present time."

Insects. An interesting centenary was recently celebrated in London—that of the London Entomological Society. This is one of those unobtrusive scientific bodies which do an incalculable amount of good work on behalf of humanity, and of which the general public knows little or nothing. As its name implies, the Society is concerned with the study of insects and, as we all know, insects are capable of inflicting an immense amount of damage and of causing discomfort and suffering to mankind.

During the hundred years of its existence this Society has helped to catch, describe, name and classify the half-a-million known insects. It has made studies of their lives, habits; and especially of the

methods best calculated to render them less harmful or completely innocuous to the human race. All this work is, to say the least, very unspectacular. But, if one were to attempt to estimate in terms of money how much the Society has benefited the world, the results would astonish most people. It is hardly realised that, of all members of the animal kingdom, insects alone are a serious menace not only to property but to the very existence of man. A local doctor warns us by the way that local cockroaches are dangerous carriers of disease, notably cancer and leprosy.

Austin's Anecdotes.

An amusing anecdote is included in Sir Austin Chamberlain's preface to "Hammer and Sickle," a book on Russia by Mark Patrick, M.P., which will be published shortly. Sir Austin paraphrases the context of the book in mentioning that his essay has been chosen in Russia as that of the typical British (and capitalist) villain, and proceeds—"Seldom has my vanity been so delicately flattered as on learning from a visitor that 'while in the Moscow shooting galleries he could have a shot at my friend Mr. Churchill for one opeck it cost him three to have a shot at me. What more can an aspirant to fame desire?'"

Keep 'Em at Home.

Berlin.—Two remarkable conditions, directed to keeping women at home, are attached to the German Government's recently sanctioned scheme, under which advances up to the amount of 1,000 marks in each case are made available to help-deserving young couples to start independent homes of their own.

These conditions concern the young wife. She must have been engaged in non-home work in Germany for six months between June 1, 1931, and May 31, 1933. She must have given up such work and undertaken to accept anything of the kind again so long as her husband is in receipt of more than 125 marks monthly, and so long as any portion remains unpaid of the Government's advance.

The advance itself is to be made in kind. It is to be free of interest, and its capital amount is to be repaid in monthly instalments of 1 per cent. It can only be used to procure furniture and other household equipment.

Local and General

The exchange banks will be closed on Monday, August 7.—Bank Holiday.

One case of enteric and one of meningitis were reported on Tuesday.

Many of Tientsin's 1,300 American residents have begun to be worried by the difference in the exchange, says a report from that city. The cause is that a great majority of them receive their income in U.S. currency with the result the present state of the exchange, being unfavourable, is telling on their resources.

The Rev. Dr. E. L. Allen, the pastor of the Kowloon Union Church, has gone on a short visit to Japan where he has been asked to speak at some important meetings.

Messrs. A. H. Potts, J. V. Walker, A. J. Gorbey, V. J. Atkins, Mrs. R. Sanger, Miss M. King and Mrs. Hopkins were each fined \$8 when they were charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones at Central Magistracy yesterday for allowing their dogs out without muzzles.

News has been received in the Colony that Mr. Arthur Tate, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes, and Master, who is at present on leave in England was recently married. Mr. Tate is well-known in local sporting circles, being a keen hockey player. It is said that Mr. Tate with his bride will be returning to the Colony shortly.

Shanghai.—The formal opening of the new Majestic Gardens, 543 Avenue Haig, has been postponed, it is announced by the management, pending completion of the dance pavilion. When completed the garden will offer to the public a high-class show, good dance music, daily tea dances, dinner dances every night, fishing, boating and water golf, all on the same grounds, which covers 30 mow. Patrons will be adequately protected in the event of rain.

The will of the late Mr. John Swire, of Billiter Square and Butterfield and Swire was recently published in the London papers. He left £281,520 (net "personality" £248,548). He left the bulk of his household and personal effects, etc., to his wife absolutely, and during widowhood the use of his residence and an annuity of £2,000, or a life annuity of £1,500 in the event of her remarriage. He gave £1,000 to the London-over-the-Border Church Fund, and, after gifts to other

charities, the residue of the property upon trust for his children.

A Chinese who walked into Mr. Wynne-Jones' Court, with his hat on, was fined \$2. He pleaded that he only had \$1. He was ordered to be searched when \$2 in silver was found on him.

Mr. Francois de Courseulles, who until early this year was the manager of the Canton Branch of the Indo-China Bank and is now acting in a similar capacity at Hankow, has been appointed honorary councillor of the Foreign Commerce Body of France. The appointment was gazetted in a recent issue of the "Paris Official." Mr. de Courseulles has a large number of local friends and is very well-known in Hong Kong.

Lieut.-Colonel E. D. Matthews, Secretary of the Royal Hong Kong Golf Club, appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones in the Central Police Court yesterday in respect of two dogs unmuzzled at the Deep Water Bay Golf Club. Defendant said the dogs did not belong to him or to the Club, but were the personal property of the boy and that they were exempted from licences by special permission of the Police. The Magistrate said the name must be placed on the permit and imposed a fine of \$16.

Sir Victor Sassoon, who reached Bombay on June 22 from Shanghai, when questioned about his racing plans, stated he did not intend to extend his establishment, but indicated the possibility of a reduction. He also said he now had only one private trainer instead of two. Asked about the situation in China, he said the trouble about China was lack of confidence in any government because none knew whether the Government of today was going to stay till tomorrow.

The King, on the recommendation of the President of the Board of Trade, has awarded the bronze medal for gallantry in saving life at sea to Mr. James William Scott, formerly first mate in the motor mission vessel "Southern Cross," in recognition of his gallantry when the Southern Cross, on her passage from Auckland to the New Hebrides, on October 31, 1932, struck a reef off Ansemy Island. Mr. Scott, though suffering from a severe blow on the head, undertook to attempt to swim ashore through the surf in darkness and adverse weather conditions, without knowing all the difficulties to be faced, but with a full knowledge of the dangers from sharks.

ARMY MEDICAL SERVICE

ATTRACTIVE REFORMS CONTEMPLATED

LONDON, Aug. 1. AN EFFORT to render more attractive to medical men service in the Army and Navy is contemplated by the Government. The Committee on the medical branches of the defence services, set up by the Government in 1931, reports that medical cars in the Service must be improved materially by the provision of increased opportunity for professional work and of greater economic advantages.

It proposes to reduce the total establishment and to enable all qualified Officers to specialise, if they so desire, at the same time increasing the opportunities to rise to the higher ranks without abandoning professional for administrative work.

Quicker Promotion.

Thus in the Army Medical branch, the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel will normally be reached at 42 instead of 48 and of Colonel at 50 instead of 53. No Officer will be retired before 55, the majority not till 57, and some not till 60. Emoluments between the ages of 35 and 50 would be increased by an average of nearly £150 a year. All Officers would be, in the first instance, entered for short service, normally of 5 years, and from these will be chosen every year the numbers to be returned for a life career.

Gratuity Offer.

Short-service officers not desiring or chosen for permanent retention would be transferred to the reserve with a gratuity of £1,000 to assist them in buying private practice.

Special medical scholarships would be created from public funds to be administered by the Lord Roberts National Memorial Funds, open to sons of members of the forces who wish to enter the medical services. The improvements proposed would be open to future entrants.—British Wireless.

MEDICAL INSTITUTES TO AMALGAMATE?

LONDON, Aug. 1. AFTER eight months of discussion a proposal had been made for the amalgamation of the Ross Institute and Hospital for Tropical Disease with the London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine. It is felt that the amalgamation would avoid overlapping and would benefit the work of both bodies in studying tropical diseases both in the Empire and for the benefit of humanity.

The Indian branch of the Ross Institute will become an integral part of the amalgamated body while memory of Sir Ronald Ross will be carefully preserved.—British Wireless.

THE FAR EASTERN PROBLEM

INTERESTING COMMENT BY ITALIAN PAPER

Rome, July 25.—The relative positions of the United States, the U.S.S.R., and Japan in the Far East are analyzed in an editorial of a Fascist Press organ the *Gazzetta del Popolo*. "On the one hand," writes the paper, "President Roosevelt is preparing to extend de jure recognition to the U.S.S.R., concentrating at the same time the United States Fleet in the Pacific and simultaneously hastening the construction of new war units to the limits of parity with Great Britain, and on the other hand, Yurenev, chief Soviet negotiator at Tokyo, is pursuing a veritable Oriental patience in sabotaging the parleys which are for their object the sale of the Chinese Eastern Railway to Manchukuo."

It may be stated without pretending to make prophecies, that Moscow, evidently counts, in all her moves in the Far East, upon an armed conflict between the United States and Japan, and it may also be stated that, whether or not is America thinking of it, she may sooner or later be faced with it without knowing how it had happened.

The American people have been raised in a pacific habit, lying to themselves and blinding themselves as regards realities. They will end by paying for that habit. Pacific peoples are those who have the least means for defending themselves. Such is, undoubtedly, the Soviet calculation, and therefore, not without a point, American pacifism is clearing through its own ignorance, the path for a conflagration in the Pacific, the very conflagration it regards with such horror.

FIFTH NATIONAL CONGRESS

CANTON'S THREE OBJECTIONS

Canton, Aug. 2. Objections against the coming Kuomintang Fifth National Congress to be held at Nanking on November are based on three vital points according to an exclusive interview granted to-day by a high official of the South-west to the *Central Press*.

The three main points follow: The Fifth National Congress is among other things to deal with the current situation and to elect new members of the Central Executive Committee and the Central Supervisory Committee. As the most important thing is a plan to cope with the current problem, this means active resistance of Japanese aggression and recovery of lost territories. A plan has been formulated by the Fourth National Congress, but the Nanking authorities have failed to carry it out.

In current problems, there is nothing so important as the Japanese aggression, and if Nanking has done nothing to ward off invasion in accordance with the decision of the Fourth National Congress, no other current problems need discussion at the Fifth Congress.

Instead of fighting the Japanese, Nanking affected two compromises with Japan, one at Shanghai and another at Tangku. The Nanking Government is dominated by the Blue Shirts, who use military power to strengthen their hold in Hupgeh and secure the \$50,000,000 American loan in defiance of the policy of the Kuomintang and the resolutions of the Fourth Congress. It is believed here that the Blue Shirts will utilize the Fifth Congress to increase its powers and to effect a dictatorship.

Are the delegates to the Fifth Congress free to talk their mind? The Blue Shirts will speak for them, as they will have undue influence over the delegates. Moreover, those delegates elected for the abortive provisional congress of July 1 can attend the Fifth Congress, but these delegates received their election through favour of the Blue Shirts, hence the delegates will take orders from their masters.

Nanking is a stronghold of the Blue Shirts and in a meeting there delegates cannot express their views freely. If the congress is held elsewhere the delegates of the South-west provinces will participate. There is no legal objection to the congress as such, but since it is controlled by the Blue Shirts there is no reason for us to send delegates to Nanking.—*Central Press*.

RETROCESSION OF LUANTUNG

NOW PROCEEDING SMOOTHLY

Peiping, Aug. 2. An official telegram from Liu Shih Shen, a member of the Luantung Retrocession Commission at Chinwangtao, states that he has been formally advised by the Japanese Commander at Shanhaikwan that the withdrawal of Japanese troops of Kwantung Army along the P.M.R. will be completed by August 7. It is expected that through railway traffic between Shanhaikwan and Peiping will be restored immediately afterwards.

According to an official communiqué the Chinese authorities started taking over Chienan to-day. Pending the withdrawal of Japanese troops from the city of Shanhaikwan the City Government of Linyuan will remain at Haiyangchen temporarily.—*Reuter*.

open, on a restricted basis, as many as possible of the banks which were still compelled to keep their doors closed.—*Reuter*.

THE CHARHAR SQUABBLE

CHANG SEEKS CANTON'S SUPPORT

Canton, Aug. 2. Mr. Chang Ho Yin, a representative of General Fang Chen Wu, field-commander of the people's anti-Japanese allied forces, has arrived here to serve as a sort of liaison officer in Canton in view of the strong support of the South-west leaders given to the allied forces.

His mission is also to secure material assistance from the people here, so that the Charhar Chinese troops will continue their fight with the Japanese. Help from the South-west is necessary, he said, because the rice and grain fields were raged by the Japanese and Manchukuo soldiers.

High commanders under Generals Yen Hsi Shan and Chang Hsueh Liang are very sympathetic with the policies of the South-west in regard to Communist suppression and resistance of Japanese aggression and will at any time throw in their lot with the South-west, Mr. Chang said. Their object is to unite together for the recovery of lost territories.

According to a reliable report from the headquarters of the anti-Japanese allied forces, the Japanese have effected a junction with the troops of General Chiang Kai Shek with the object of eliminating the allied forces from Charhar. Lieut.-Generals Tu Yu Lung and Chi Hsiung Chang, a German trained officer, are left in the defense of Dolonor, while other troops are rushed to the borders to meet the combined attack of the Japanese and Nanking troops.

The report adds that such joint drive merely arouses public opinion against the pro-Japanese stand of the Chiang Kai Shek Government.—*Central Press*.

THE KULING CONFERENCE

CHARHAR PROBLEM CONSIDERED SERIOUS

Shanghai, Aug. 2. Mr. Sun Fo arrived here this morning from Nanking. Interviewed by *Reuter*, he said that the Charhar issue was the most important problem discussed at the Kuling Conference.

The Government had definitely decided to settle the Charhar situation through peaceful means, and unless Gen. Feng Yu Haiang makes an attacking move towards the south, there is no question of an armed clash in Charhar.

Mr. Sun Fo pointed out that two things are now engaging the attention of the Government—the settlement of the Charhar situation and the disposal of Gen. Feng's troops.

The Government troops which advanced on Kelgan, have now been ordered to halt pending further developments.

Mr. Sun added that the question of the re-demarcation of the Provinces was not taken up at Kuling, since the question was a most important one requiring expert discussion.

Mr. Sun Fo is leaving for Taingtao soon to join his mother, Madame Sun Yat Sen.—*Reuter*.

U.S. INDUSTRIAL CREDIT

VIGOROUS DRIVE FOR ITS EXPANSION

Washington, Aug. 1. A vigorous drive to expand industrial credit in the United States was foreshadowed to-night in a nationwide broadcast by Mr. Jesse Jones, the chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation.

Speaking with the approval of President Roosevelt, Mr. Jones said that the Corporation was ready to inflate the working capital of the banks by purchasing preferred stock in sound banks.

He declared that the authorities were making every effort to re-
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THE CORAL ISLANDS

NO OFFICIAL CHINESE INVESTIGATION

(From Our Special Correspondent)

CANTON, Aug. 2. THAT the Ministry of Foreign Affairs in Nanking has instructed Mr. Kan Chieh Hou, local Inspector-General of Foreign Affairs, to make an investigation of the French occupation of the Coral Islands as widely reported in the vernacular Press in Hong Kong is groundless, as no such instructions have been received here from Nanking, this correspondent was informed to-day.

Canton is too far away from the Coral Islands, asserted an official in Mr. Kan's office, "and it is not practicable to make an investigation here." He said that no instructions were received from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs or the South-West Political Council to take up the matter.

It was learned that the Chinese Foreign Office did instruct the Chinese Consul-General at Manila to make a report on the matter, because that port is some 200 miles East of the Coral Islands. The report is said to be now available in Nanking and will be the basis of representations to be made to the French Government in connection with their formal occupation of those islands which are already inhabited by Chinese.

Press reports from Shanghai stated that Monsieur W. Wilden, French Minister to China, arrived at Nanking to-day and that the National Government will take up the matter with him personally. Meanwhile, it is said that the Japanese are trying to follow the French example by occupying certain Chinese islands known as Si Sha Archipelago near the Coral Islands.

SOONG SEEKING FURTHER LOANS

TO EQUIP MACHINERY WORKS

Shanghai, Aug. 1. Mr. T. V. Soong, Minister of Finance, is privately arranging a loan from German bankers to be used for constructing an iron and steel works which will use entirely German machinery and equipment, according to Press dispatches from Berlin.

If Minister Soong is successful in securing this German loan which amount is kept secret, the iron and steel works will start operations next year. The factory is modelled after the Krupp works and can turn out small arms such as machine-guns, Mauser pistols, service rifles, and trench mortars.

It is confirmed here that Mr. Soong has also approached British bankers for another "industrial loan" though nothing definite is known as to amount owing to strict secrecy in the negotiations.—*Central Press*.

FORTIFICATION OF SHANHAIKWAN

JAPANESE ENGINEERS NOW BUSY

Tientsin, Aug. 2. Foreign reports state that the Japanese forces will not evacuate Shanhaikwan, which is regarded by the Kwantung high command as a strategic approach to the so-called Manchukuo.

Five engineering companies are said to be busy constructing forts at points of vantage in Shanhaikwan, and the construction is very similar to the formidable fortifications erected in 1930 on the French frontiers facing Germany.

The Japanese high command took the position that although this Chinese territory was conquered with comparatively little effort, every step will be made to consolidate their position against an attack by Chinese forces in the event of a change of government at Nanking.—*Central Press*.

THE MEERUT SENTENCES

CHIEF JUSTICE RESERVES JUDGMENT

ALLAHABAD, Aug. 2. THE appeals to the Meerut sentences, concluded in the record time of eight days instead of two months as expected. Before reserving judgment the Chief Justice remarked the sentences seemed severe.

TRADE IN WUCHOW

DULL OWING TO BOYCOTT

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Aug. 2. Trade in Wuchow has been dull for the past several weeks, according to reports from that principal Kwangsi river town. The boycott against Japanese goods is largely responsible for the slack time, as most shops carried at least fifty per cent. of their stock in Japanese goods, which must be sealed up and cannot be sold.

The boycott of Japanese goods there is conducted as effectively as in Canton, and since most imports are shipped exclusively via the West River, it is easier to prevent smuggling in Wuchow than in Canton.

While business is not encouraging, the cost of living in Wuchow has slightly gone up. This causes hardship to the thrifty Kwangsi people. Canton exported a good deal of rubber shoes and goods to Wuchow during the early part of the year, but local rubber manufacturing companies are affected by the increase of inter-port customs duties raised by the new tariff rate of May 22. Imports into Wuchow during the past two months have declined owing to the general trade slump in South China, exact figures being yet unavailable.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent)
LONDON, Aug. 2. FOLLOWING ARE THE SILVER QUOTATIONS ON THE LONDON MARKET TO-DAY:
Aug. 2 Aug. 1
SPOT 172 172
FORWARD 172 172
THE LONDON ON NEW YORK CROSS RATE TO-DAY WAS: £1= \$4.443.

MARSHAL CHANG IMPRESSED

WILL SPEND CONSIDERABLE TIME IN BRITAIN

LONDON, Aug. 1. Chang Hsueh Liang is greatly impressed with Britain and it seems very likely that he will spend some considerable time in the country.

In an interview with *Reuter* to-day, he said he had immensely benefited from his trip to Europe. He now weighs two stone more than when he left China. He is now fat, strong and bronzed, and has discarded his moustache.

He declared he felt a different man.

The Young Marshal is accompanied on his tour by his eldest son, Raymond, and his second son, Martin, Mr. W. H. Donald and Mr. Li, his secretary.

He is probably leaving London on August 12 when he will fly to Berlin and to Scandinavia, studying every detail of modern aircraft, military and naval equipment.

He proposes to leave his two sons in England where they will study for Oxford University.

Chang Hsueh Liang told *Reuter* that he is returning to London in September with his wife and daughters, who are at present in Rome.

What chiefly impressed him in London, he said, were the parks and open spaces, the freedom and the well-being of the people.

England bore no signs of poverty and he had no doubt that she would be among the first of the countries of the world to emerge from the economic depression.

He and his sons, he added, had been happier in London than elsewhere in Europe.—*Reuter*.

GANDHI TO FAST AGAIN

THIS TIME "UNTO DEATH!"

Bombay, Aug. 2. Is the Mahatma Gandhi likely to seek the crown of martyrdom by one final fast unto death?

Such a fear has been expressed by many of his most loyal followers, following his arrest, which has provoked little disturbance, save that hartals have been observed upon a small scale in Bombay and Ahmedabad.

Though the moderation of the public demonstration is, no doubt, partly due to the restrictive Ordinances, there is little doubt that Congress circles disapproved of the Mahatma's latest challenge to the Government.

Among the great majority of the leaders, it is considered that he is asking for trouble, deliberately walking to prison and to political oblivion.

National Harikiri. "National harikiri" is the term used by certain sections of the Press, commenting upon Gandhi's new plan for individual disobedience.

Meanwhile, the possibility is being seriously canvassed of the creation of a new nationalistic organisation as a rival to Congress, which will be prepared to try constitutional methods of attaining their objectives in the political sphere.

Gandhi has now been escorted to Poona, where he is likely to be released under a proviso that he shall remain in Poona.

This he is expected to disobey, thus committing himself to open trial and the possibility of two years' ordinary political imprisonment.—*Reuter*.

MR. HENDERSON'S DECISION

TO STAND AS LABOUR CANDIDATE

LONDON, Aug. 1. COMMENTING ON the decision of Mr. Arthur Henderson to stand as the Labour candidate for the Clay Cross constituency, *The Times* says that what matters is the extent to which his return to party business will affect his task as the President of the Disarmament Conference.

Mr. Henderson has just returned from a tour to Paris, Rome, Berlin and Prague to discuss disarmament and has gained the conviction that every Government desires a working arrangement by which the nations will be spared senseless competition in weapons of destruction, as oppressive for national budgets and as damaging to international confidence.

Europe is still distracted by the rights of France and the wrongs of Germany, but all are agreed that some limit of armament is better than no limit, that the control of the private manufacture of arms is desirable, that a system of supervision must be established and that a permanent disarmament commission is necessary for this purpose, and that air bombing should be barred as an instrument of warfare between civilised nations.

Meanwhile, one country after another has shown a readiness to make concessions.

These are objects, says *The Times* for which the General Commission can continue to work and Mr. Henderson has in mind a further tour of European capitals in September as a necessary preliminary to the meeting of the General Commission in Geneva on October 16.—*British Wireless*.

SIX HUNDRED REDS KILLED

SUCCESSFUL DRIVE IN SOUTH KIANGSI

Canton, Aug. 2. The combined Kwangtung and Kwangsi forces had a severe encounter last Monday with the Communists in Southern Kiangsi and resulted in killing 600 "Reds" and capturing many alive.

The fighting occurred in the vicinity of An Yuan which was reinforced by 3,000 Communist troops of the so-called third division.

While the Government troops also suffered casualties, the enemy lost a colonel and several battalion and company commanders. Being routed the "Reds" are retreating to their second line of defense.

Wing Commander Wu Chien Wen, whose aerial unit stations at Mei Hsien, Eastern Kwangtung, reported to the military headquarters here that his bombing planes make daily flight into Southern Kiangsi to observe the position of the Communists.

Flying over Huichang and Kwannunling, the fliers do not see any large formation of "Red" troops, while everything appears to be very quiet below. Between Kwannunling and Huichang, there is, however, heavy traffic, and the aviators believe that there is a general retreat in the direction of Juichin, their headquarters.—*Central Press*.

EUROPEAN LADY ATTACKED

MRS. POLSON BADLY CUT UP WITH CHOPPER

SURLY POLICE ATTITUDE TOWARDS THE PRESS

The usual peace and quiet of Quarry Bay was very much disturbed last night when, shortly after 9 o'clock, a report was circulated to the effect that a European lady, who was walking up the hill to Stanley Terrace, was foully assaulted by a Chinese youth with a chopper.

Enquiries by a "Daily Press" representative elicited the news that the unfortunate lady was Mrs. Polson and she was on her way home when the dastardly assault took place.

After being struck several times with the chopper, the lady raised the alarm and on turning round she recognised her assailant to be a compadre's boy. From a reliable source, we learnt that robbery was not the motive of the assault but that the cause was an alleged grievance nursed by the lad against the lady. Attracted by the lady's cries, help was soon forthcoming and she was rushed to the Government Civil Hospital with all possible speed.

On calling at the Shaukiwan Police Station, two of our representatives were greeted with a wave of the hand and a surly, "get out, we are too busy to

talk." As the Police adopted such an attitude, it was impossible to get any authentic report beyond the fact that Mrs. Polson was alone with her dog at the time.

DOCTOR COURTEOUS

After the treatment received at the Police Station, it was decidedly refreshing to talk to the gave us all the information at his Government Civil Hospital who gave us all the information at his disposal.

He said that Mrs. Polson was very badly cut up, and in detail her injuries were:—

1 large scalp wound;
2 large deep gashes on the left shoulder;
1 deep gash on the left forearm;
1 deep gash on the left leg and
1 large cut on the upper lip.

CONDITION SERIOUS

Her condition was reported as very serious and critical, but the doctor informed us that every hope was entertained for her recovery.

From the foregoing, it would be seen that the assailant made sure he would cut the lady up badly.

We were told that the Emergency Unit were put on special search duty, but up to the time of going to Press, no arrests had been made.



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WIGHTMAN CUP TENNIS

DRAW FOR FORTHCOMING MATCHES

London, Aug. 1.
THE draw for the forthcoming Wightman Cup series has been made. It is cabled by Reuter as follows:

Friday.
Miss Helen Jacobs (U.S.) v. Miss Dorothy Round (Britain).
Mrs. Helen Wills-Moody (U.S.) v. Miss Margaret Scriven (Britain).
Miss Helen Jacobs and Miss Sarah Palfrey (U.S.) v. Miss Round and Miss Mary Heeley (Britain).

Saturday.
Mrs. Wills-Moody v. Miss D. Round.
Miss Jacobs v. Miss Scriven.
Miss Alice Marble v. Miss Betty Nuthall.
Mrs. Moody and Miss Marble v. Miss James and Miss Nuthall.

U.S. BASEBALL

A NEW PITCHING RECORD

New York, Aug. 1.
CARL HUBBELL of the New York Giants set up a new National Baseball League record to-day when he pitched 8 2/3rds scoreless innings bringing his total to 40 consecutive scoreless innings pitched.

The old record, established by Ed Reulbach of the Chicago Cubs in 1908 was 44.

To-day, however, the Giants were beaten, losing to Boston.

Scores as sent by Reuter were:

National League.

New York 1 7 1
Boston 3 7 0

(F. Hogan homered for Boston)

Chicago 3 6 1
Cincinnati 1 5 0
Pittsburg 9 15 1

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HOME CRICKET

ASHDOWN'S FINE INNINGS

ELEVEN PLAYERS GET HUNDREDS

London, August 1.
Yorkshire have been again checked by Hampshire, who are one of the few teams to take six points from the champions. Sussex were also held to a draw. Yorkshire, with two games in hand, now lead the southerners by 30 points in the championship race.

The Kent revival was given a setback when centuries by John Squires, and Baring, one of the most promising young batsmen in England, gave Surrey "the major points at the Oval. Ashdown, who has been one of the leading all-rounders, hit up 178 in Kent's second innings to be the top-scorer of the day.

Six of the eight games were left drawn, only Essex, who thoroughly thrashed Somerset, and Middlesex, who, thanks to the wonderful bowling of Sims and Hearne, scored heavily against Derbyshire, gaining the maximum points.

Honours List.

The most outstanding batting and bowling performances follow:

Batting.

Ashdown (Kent) v. Surrey 178

Nichols (Worcester) v. Northants 157

Cook (Sussex) v. Warwick 153

Leyland (Yorkshire) v. Hants 133

Baring (Surrey) v. Kent 131

Hammond (Gloucester) 126

Lanes. 126

Armstrong (Leicester) v. Notts 117

Langridge, Jas (Sussex) v. Warwick 111

C. F. Walters (Worcester) 106

Squires (Surrey) v. Kent 107

Tydesley (Lanes) v. Gloucester 104

*Denotes not out.

Bowling.

Farnes (Essex) v. Somerset 7 for 72

set and 6 for 26

COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

Surrey took first innings points from Kent at the Oval.

Kent 293 and 374 for 4 (Ashdown 178).

Surrey 482 for 8 dec. (J. C. Squires 107, Baring 131).

Essex beat Somerset by an innings and 77 runs at Taunton.

Somerset 223 (K. Farnes 7 for 72).

99 (K. Farnes 6 for 26).

Essex 399.

Northants took first innings points from Worcester at Worcester.

Worcester 273 (C. F. Walters 108, Matthews 6 for 58).

314 for 3 dec. (Nichols 157 not out).

Northants 308 (Brook 5 for 90).

115 for 3 wickets.

Yorkshire took first innings points from Hampshire at Sheffield.

Hants 268 (Bowes 5 for 74).

68 for 2 wickets.

Yorks 328 (Yeyland 133, Palmer 5 for 93, Boyes 5 for 96).

Middlesex beat Derbyshire by 8 wickets at Chesterfield.

Derby 167 (Sims 8 for 47).

175 (Hearne 9 for 61).

Middlesex 292 (Mitchell 7 for 80).

99 for 2 wickets.

Lancashire took first innings points from Gloucester at Bristol.

Gloucester 228 and 319 for 3 (Hammond 123 not out).

Lancashire 448 for 6 dec. Tydesley 104).

Sussex took first innings points from Warwickshire at Edgbaston.

Warwick 307 and 152 for 3.

Sussex 487 for 9 dec. (Cook 143, Langridge (Jas.) 111).

Motts took first innings points from Leicester at Trent Bridge.

Leicester 178 and 261 for 8 dec. (Armstrong 117).

Notts 276 and 155 for 9 (Smith 4 for 49).

COWES REGATTA

VELSHEA WINS KING'S CUP

LONDON, Aug. 1.
MR. W. L. STEPHENSON'S all-steel yacht Velshe won the King's Cup, the Blue Riband of the yachting world, at Cowes to-day.

Shamrock V. occupied second place and His Majesty's famous yacht, Britannia with the King aboard, was third. Reuter.

St. Louis 3 8 2

American League.

St. Louis 5 9 0

Cleveland 2 8 2

(West scored a home run)

TENNIS LEAGUE

I.R.C. BEAT RECREIO IN "A" DIVISION

Playing away and with a weakened team the Indian R.C. nevertheless managed to beat Recreio by 51 sets to 34.

The absence of J. A. E. Casumbhooy meant not only the letting in of a weaker man but a re-shuffling of the pairs had to be made; and it was chiefly due to the efforts of H. D. Rumbahn and I. M. A. Razack that the Indians won. These two, although not used to each other teamed well and were extended only in one set, against Barros and Xavier.

Club de Recreio v. I.R.C.

At King's Park Recreio gave I.R.C. a good fight but just lost by 51 sets to 34.

Scores:—

H. D. Rumbahn and I. M. A. Razack (I.R.C.)

beat F. J. Remedios and L. A. Ribeiro 6-3

beat H. A. Barros and Xavier 6-4

beat C. A. Baretto and C. A. Noronha 6-2

F. D. Pereira and A. R. Minu (I.R.C.)

drew with F. J. Remedios and L. A. Ribeiro 6-6

lost to H. A. Barros and Xavier 1-9

beat C. A. Baretto and C. A. Noronha 6-3

S. A. Rumbahn and D. A. Razack (I.R.C.)

lost to F. J. Remedios and L. A. Ribeiro 1-6

beat H. A. Barros and Xavier 6-3

lost to C. A. Baretto and C. A. Noronha 3-6

BOWLS SURPRISE

CHAMPIONS BEATEN AT K.C.C.

BOWLING GREEN NOW LEADING

The unfinished lawn bowls games left over from Saturday owing to the typhoon were completed yesterday. Craigenower's first division suffered heavily at the hands of the Kowloon C.C. Playing with a lead of two points on three heads, the Champion team went under by 22 points at the finish, losing heavily on two rinks, Omar being the only skip to tie.

The Bowling Green are now definitely ahead of Craigenower, being two points to the good. They are due to meet the Valley Club on Saturday at Happy Valley and the match will decide the destination of the senior trophy.

In the junior game, The Yacht Club were beaten by Recreio by 9 shots.

DIVISION I.

K.C.C.

J. Brown G. L. Buchanan

V. C. Labrum J. S. Landolt

J. Jack H. Beer

A. Silkstone B. Bass

(Skip) 29 (Skip) 15

W. Hyde A. E. Coates

J. A. Howe L. E. Lammert

E. C. Fincher D. Rumbahn

A. Hyde-Lay B. W. Bradbury

(Skip) 28 (Skip) 13

H. Overy W. T. Brightman

A. Hayward E. Tuck

F. Goodwin J. Cavanagh

J. Fraser U. M. Omar

(Skip) 19 (Skip) 19

Total 69 Total 47

DIVISION II.

Recreio Yacht Club

Silva Greenhill

Alves Rouse

Lopes Bonnar

Rozario MacFarlane

(Skip) 19 (Skip) 13

Xavier Murdoch

B. Basto Anton

Barros Dunley

J. Basto Chapman

(Skip) 17 (Skip) 18

Alves Kent

Soares Croucher

Ozorio Abraham

(Skip) 25 (Skip) 21

Total 61 Total 52

CHINESE BATHING BEACHES

POSSIBILITY OF KAI FONG PETITION

The possibility of a petition by the Kai Fong to the Government for permission to retain the present bathing beaches at North Point was indicated to a Daily Press representative by an officer of one of the Chinese bathing clubs yesterday.

A meeting is being held to-night to consider the advisability of this move, should the present petition fail. Several other points will also be considered at this meeting.

Meanwhile, a delegation of three has called upon the Official Members of the Legislative Council, expressing their support and it is understood that they have met with very success so far.

HOME SPORT LETTER

A Veteran Golfer: Miss Round In Private Life:
French Triumph At Brooklands: Peggy Scrivens Defeat: The Army Polo Cup

(Special Air-Mail Service)

MAN OF '65 IN THE "OPEN"

"Sandy" Reid, who is sixty-five, qualified to play in this year's open golf championship at St. Andrews. He is one of the oldest men who have ever fought for the title. Joe Einar, the globe-trotting fruit hawker, who is a golfer and a sailor in his spare time, got in on the last stroke.

But apart from Reid the big surprise among those who qualified was W. Nolan, who not only qualified, but broke the record of Bobby Jones in doing so. Speckly, largely, he is a stranger among the stars.

MISS DOROTHY ROUND

Miss Dorothy Round is a serious young person, with a definite point of view and the courage of her convictions.

She is a Sunday-school teacher, on more than one occasion she has refused to play tennis on Sunday, even though her abstinence meant giving up the chance of winning a championship.

On the courts she is dashing and courageous.

In private life she is extremely reserved and modest, both about herself and about her play.

She has intelligent brown eyes. She looks straight at you when she is talking to you. She uses no make-up. Her face is thin and unburned.

She is twenty-three. Her father is a building contractor at Dudley, Worcestershire. She is his only daughter, but has several brothers. It was her brothers who urged her to take up tennis seriously.

Miss Round was educated at Dudley High School. She is loyal to her old school. When playing tennis she wears her school blazer, unlike most of the other players, who wear elegant little knitted coats in the most fashionable colours.

Count Czaykowski, in a French Bugatti car of 4,975 c.c. engine capacity, won the British Empire Trophy race at Brooklands after a thrilling duel with Mr. Kaye Don, who was driving another car of the same type.

Count Czaykowski's average speed for the distance of 125 miles was 123.58 miles an hour, slightly less than Mr. John Cobb's speed last year, but during the early stages of the race both Mr. Kaye Don and Count Czaykowski were lapping regularly at more than 131 miles an hour, tearing round close to each other and a few feet from the extreme top of the banking.

Mr. Kaye Don took the lead at the start, with Mr. Oliver Bertram, in a 10 1/2 litre Delage, second, and Count Czaykowski third. As it came off the banking to enter the railway straight the Count's car, striking a bump, made a sort of long jump at every lap, leaving the track and travelling for a considerable distance with all four wheels in the air.

Spurt to Lead.

Mr. Kaye Don held the lead for some time, but it seemed that Count Czaykowski had a little power in hand; and he suddenly shot forward, passing between Mr. Bertram's Delage and the other Bugatti. From that moment his lead was not challenged.

It was a most popular win, and the crowd cheered the French driver enthusiastically as Lord Howe, President of the British Racing Drivers' Club, congratulated him on his fine driving.

Almost as remarkable as the battle between the big cars, although less spectacular, was the tussle for third place, between two M.G. Magnettes, driven by Mr. Manby Colegrave and Mr. R. T. Horton. For cars with engines of only 1,066 c.c. engine capacity, the lap speeds of these machines were astonishing, reaching more than 115 miles an hour at times. Mr. Manby Colegrave finally obtained third place.

The India, Canada, and New Zealand Trophies, which were raced for prior to the British Empire Trophy, were won by Mr. M. B. Watson, in an M.G.; by Mr. Frank Hallum, in an Alvis; and by Mr. L. J. Archer, on a Velocette (the last of these races being for motor-cycles). The winners' speeds were 101, 102.5, and 98 m.p.h. respectively. Mr. Horton, in his M.G. Magnette, created a new lap record for cars of that class by doing one lap at 116.55 m.p.h.

PEGGY FALLS AT WIMBLEDON

Peggy Scriven fell on the Centre Court at Wimbledon during her match with Fraulein Krahwinkel. She grazed her arm, but it was

not serious. It was not her playing arm.

But Peggy fell more heavily than that. She lost her match with Fraulein Krahwinkel, the German champion, and thus fell out of the British championship.

Peggy is the English girl who won the admiration of the world recently when, although considered not good enough to represent England officially, she won the championship of France on her own account.

Met Before.

When she beat Mme. Mathieu at Paris, they had met before. She knew how the French woman had defeated her at Wimbledon.

With Fraulein Krahwinkel, however, Peggy found new tactics which cost her two out of the three sets and her chance of becoming champion.

She showed amazing pluck, but she was worn down by the German woman, who as well as being a famous tennis player, is a famous long-distance runner.

Peggy Scriven and Fraulein Krahwinkel will probably meet in another year.

History does repeat itself.

ROYAL SCOTS GREYS WIN POLO CUP

The Royal Scots Greys won their first Inter-Regimental Cup at Hurlingham. In the final tie of the tournament they beat the Bays after an exciting finish by six goals to five.

Prince Arthur of Connaught, their Colonel-in-Chief, presented the cup to the Greys, who last year beat the Bays in the semi-final round after extra time, and were then defeated by the Gunners in the final by 7-5. Incidentally, of the 48 Inter-Regimental cups that have been played since the tournament was instituted in 1873, twelve have been won by the 17th or as they now are the 17th/21st Lancers.

Early in the game, which was witnessed by a large number of spectators a collision occurred between Capt. Drayton and Guinness, and both players' ponies came down. Guinness was penalised for standing over the ball, and the foul cost the Greys a goal. Capt. G. H. Fanshawe scoring with his 40 yards hit. The Greys had their fair share of the play in the first half, but failed to make good use of their chances, and at the end of the third chukka the Bays were leading by 3-1.

In the next period the Bays' play deteriorated, and scoring twice the Greys drew level at 3-3. The Bays stuck a bad patch in the fourth period, in which the Greys were constantly attacking. Lopes, their No. 1, playing very well, hit three goals. In the last period the Bays recovered, and midway through Barclay hit a couple of goals in quick succession.

Thirteen minutes from the end the Bays got a chance of equalising, being awarded a 60 yards penalty for a foul. But Capt. G. H. Fanshawe's shot was met and after a desperate scrimmage the ball was cleared, and shortly afterwards the final bell rang. Capt. Barclay scored three times for the Bays, and Capt. G. H. Fanshawe twice. For the winners, Lopes hit four goals, and Major Gaisford-St. Lawrence, and Findlay one apiece. Sides:

Royal Scots Greys: M. H. E. Lopes, R. L. Findlay, H. P. Guinness, and Major C. H. Gaisford-St. Lawrence (back).

Queen's Bays: Capt. G. W. C. Drayton, Capt. A. H. Barclay, Capt. G. H. Fanshawe, and Major E. D. Fanshawe (back).

BOWLS

CRAIGENOWER TEAMS FOR SATURDAY AND SUNDAY

The following will represent the Craigenower Cricket Club:

Saturday.

First team league match against the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, Craigenower Green, 3.30 p.m.:

A. E. Coates, L. E. Lammert, D. Rumbahn, B. W. Bradbury (Skip).

G. L. Buchanan, W. V. Field, H. Beer, B. Bass (Skip).

W. T. Brightman, E. Tuck, J. Cavanagh, U. M. Omar (Skip).

Second team (friendly) against the Hong Kong Football Club, Football ground, 4.00 p.m.:

W. K. Way, J. Denny, H. Milton, W. Ward (Skip).

D. E. Khara, Dr. V. N. Atienza, M. J. Medina, Y. Abbas (Skip).

H. W. Randall, J. Driscoll, E. O. Barry, J. S. Landolt (Skip).

Sunday.

Spey Royal semi-final: Craigenower v. Kowloon Cricket Club, Police Green, 2.30 p.m.:

Buchanan, B. W. Bradbury, H. Beer, U. M. Omar (Skip).

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OUR CABARETS

ST. JOHN'S REVIEW OPINION

The action of the authorities in issuing the order that local cabarets have to close their doors at midnight, has no doubt satisfied the Kowloon residents who complained that their slumbers were being disturbed by the din and racket caused through the cabaret bands, writes a contributor to *St. John's Review*.

Naturally, however, this action has not satisfied the dance-hall proprietors, who will lose money and custom, neither has it satisfied, and this is more to the point, the dozens of soldiers and sailors who regularly patronize these places and find real pleasure in so doing.

The complaints concerning cabarets came from Kowloon; let us therefore deal with the dance-halls on the mainland first.

At present the few halls operating are situated in the residential and business area. This has led to the suggestion that if we have to have cabarets at Kowloon why not insist that the business (for after all running a cabaret is a business) be carried on in a non-residential (European) district.

But where, from the Y.M.C.A. to Kowloon Tong, can one find an area where Europeans are not living? Kowloon is continually expanding. These dance-halls could of course operate more successfully than they are now doing in the back streets of Yau-mat, near the water-front, but we doubt very much if they would remain ordinary cabarets for long.

Situated as they are at present they are under direct police surveillance and are therefore being run in an orderly and decent manner. Moreover they are helping in a great measure to suppress vice which we know is prevalent.

Continued interference from the public, however, will incite the dance-hall proprietors to carry on their business in a less European populated district where other pleasures, far more harmful than dancing, will be indulged in.

Cabarets on the Island.

Although the above remarks have been made about the cabarets at Kowloon, we do not suggest that the public is not to be considered; we all have to attend our daily labours and therefore an adequate amount of sleep is necessary. Under the circumstances there is a certain justification in the early closing of the halls on the peninsula.

But why should the same order apply to similar places on the island? In their operations these places do not disturb the peace. Yet the authorities have deemed it necessary to adopt the same measures for all cabarets, and in so doing is depriving the soldier and sailor, with permission to be absent from his quarters, of one of his chief sources of entertainment.

The various soldiers' homes, clubs, and the Y.M.C.A., are doing an amount of good work for the servicemen, and these havens are used to the fullest extent by those for whom these places are provided. But at these centres the soldier and sailor meets only the other fellow with whom they live, the other fellow with whom they perform their daily duties. Everyone will agree that they want more out of life than this. At home stations the soldier has his family, his sisters, his girl friends. Abroad, particularly out East, he is deprived of these pleasures. He lacks feminine society and is naturally discontented.

Local cabarets are therefore, to a certain extent, fulfilling a want. We do not like enough for the troops and sea-faring men stationed with us. If we cannot provide entertainment for them, we should at least let them enjoy the privileges and amusements which they discover for themselves.

[An editorial note adds:—The foregoing article was written by one of our contributors and though the *Review* Committee considers the points raised worthy of attention they do not necessarily agree with same.]

LAICHIKOK PRISON

IMPRESSION OF CHEERFUL AND HARD-WORKING CONVICTS

(BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT)

What with all the regulations about visitors to gaols etc, very few of the public have seen the inside of a prison except under the obvious conditions. I got in Laichikok Prison one day, and I did not have to seek permission, for I went to attend a Coroner's Inquiry into the death of one of the prisoners. The opening, or I should perhaps say, first, half of the inquiry was heard in the Kowloon Magistracy, but for convenience sake, it was decided to take the second half in the gaol as some of the prisoners had to give evidence.

Laichikok Prison is not what most people think what prisons in general are like. What I mean is that there are no dark and wired cells, with but one small hole to let in the light; and again, instead of one large building in which all convicts are kept behind barred and locked doors, this prison is made up of small brick buildings of two storeys each. The top floor is where the prisoners live. These rooms hold about from twenty to thirty prisoners, maybe, less, but they are light and airy, and are kept scrupulously clean. There are of course, no beds, but wooden planks with a pillow and a blanket or two make quite comfortable sleep possible.

I happened to be in the Prison during working hours, and when the jury decided to retire to consider the evidence before returning their verdict, I took the opportunity to go on a tour of inspection. I saw the prisoners at work in the different shops. There was a carpenter's shop, a rope-making shop and in fact almost every craft of this kind was represented.

The prisoners appeared to be quite happy and they were allowed a certain amount of quiet and orderly conversation.

Up on the hillside, I saw a few men hard at work and from a distance I could not make out what

they were doing. Upon making inquiries, I was told that they were the farmers or gardeners, as the case may be, who were responsible for the prison's supply of vegetables, and some very lovely specimens there were in the well cultivated grounds.

About 4.30 p.m. I noticed a sudden silence. All the work that had been going on appeared to have stopped. What was the reason for this? Only that at 4.30 p.m. the prisoners working day ends and they are formed up in queues and marched back to their quarters. There were all sorts of men in the crowd. I noticed a big husky fellow and was a little surprised to see that he was about the only fellow who did not wear a grin or smile. In fact he returned my inquisitive look with a glare which plainly said:—"What the hell are you looking at, anyway?" As a comparison, there was a little fellow who must have been fifty if a day. He was one of the "hard-boiled" type and did not appear to care in the least who or what was looking at him. His face was twisted and wrinkled and there was a comical sparkle in his eye. He might have made good on the stage, I thought, if he had not turned to crime.

So much for the prisoners. The wardens in the prison appeared to be a bunch of very considerate men who try to make life for the prisoners as cheerful as possible under the circumstances.

The quarters for the European wardens are a short distance away from the gaol. As a matter of fact they may be said to be well within the boundaries of the gaol while the Indian wardens are also comfortably housed not far off.

One happy family in the gaol are the many bull terriers. They are very friendly to the wardens and even to the prisoners who behave themselves, but let one of them see a prisoner trying to break away from gaol!

CIVIL SERVANTS' SIX HOURS A DAY

ENVIED BY COMMERCIAL BANGKOK.

Bangkok, July 18.
One of the most popular acts of the new Siamese administration has been to change the hours of work for the civil service. After the first revolution the new brooms declared that everyone in Government employ must be at work by eight o'clock and finished at two. This was change with crusted custom with a vengeance, and although the order was obeyed, it was never popular with any ranks.

The Siamese are not early risers, and they dislike doing anything like work before the sun is well up.

Note The Three.

The new times of duty from 8 a.m. to three, with a short half hour way through, are much more convenient to everyone. In the old days one or two departments, which employed foreigners, like the Railway administration, and the Municipal Department, started at seven and stopped at one o'clock.

Commercial Bangkok envies civil servants their regular six hours day. Bangkok merchants start work earlier than their neighbours in the Straits. All offices are open at eight o'clock at latest, and continue till 4.30 at the earliest; in many cases till 5 p.m.

Shanghai it is believed in Chinese circles here that little response will be forthcoming to the telegrams received by several local public organizations from Gen. Tang Chen Wu in Changhai asking for financial assistance for his troops.

PORT SWETTENHAM

SLIGHT IMPROVEMENT IN LAST THREE MONTHS.

There has been a slight increase in the tonnage handled by the F.M.S. Railways at Port Swettenham during the second quarter of this year.

It is true that imports have been lower than they were during the first quarter of 1932 year, when the figure was 57,464 tons. After that, however, there was a steady decrease the lowest total being 40,250 in the third quarter.

There was a jump up, however, by about 7,000 tons in the last quarter, while the first quarter of this year showed 47,466 tons—an increase of 323 tons over October-December, 1932.

Exports, which began in 1932 with 20,583 tons in the first quarter, showed an increase of over 5,000 tons for the next three months, but thereafter dropped to 23,566 in October-December, 1932, being about 4,000 tons better.

In the second quarter—April to June 1933—imports and exports both showed an appreciable rise over the first three months of the year, the respective total tonnage being 53,428 and 24,015.

Compared with the first half of last year, while imports for the corresponding period of this year show a decrease of 9,461 tons, exports have increased by 7,887 tons. —*Malay Mail*.

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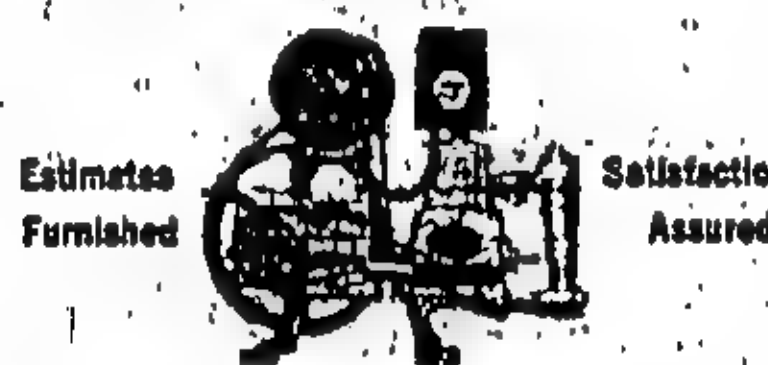
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Round The Year With The Hainan Farmer

WHERE THERE IS NO TIME FOR NOVELTIES

SUCCESION OF CROPS AND NO INTERVALS

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Kachek, July 28. The people of Hainan are in the main agricultural, and in a tropical island where the growing season is absolutely continuous, farming is a strenuous business. None of the leisure of the cold winter months for "the man with the hoe" here, and no rest for most of the cultivated soil, either. And no wonder that when we offer flower seeds or plants to farmer families, one or both of two responses almost immediately comes back: "We have no time to care for such things" or "We have no room to plant them"—both answers very typical of the attitude of mind of the man who must make everything count to provide a living for his family.

The Chinese are more consistent than the westerner in that they divide their four seasons according to the calendar and consider the first, second and third months as spring, the next three as summer, and so on. Possibly the lunar calendar is responsible—Chinese New Year often comes so far along in January and February of the solar year that in a warm climate spring really does seem to begin then. A brief sketch of major farm activities during the seasons will

show something of the continuous cycle of seedtime and harvest, preparation and fruition.

THE SPRING MONTHS

After the new year holiday season spring work starts with a rush. This is the time to plant the tuber crops—peanuts, cassava, taro, the hairy, "sweet tuber" and sweet potatoes, this latter however being propagated from cuttings of vines taken off and reset. The two varieties of sugar cane are also planted at this time—one yielding the large stalks which are used for eating only, the other with the smaller stalks that are crushed to yield sap for sugar. The bush beans which grow five or six feet high are planted at this season, too.

The second and third months are the time to plant indigo and hemp, and millet if a harvest is desired at the "little" season. Millet is commonly either the "duckfoot" or the "dogtail" variety, the first bearing seed in a short stocky head of four or five compact fruit stalks, the latter in long single heads perhaps five or six inches long. As soon as these crops are in, the bitter melons and other varieties must be started in seedbeds first and then transplanted, and still later bamboo racks must be made for them and paper sacks be put around the tiny melons as they form, to ward off insect stings and excess of moisture. Melons which do not climb on the racks must be carefully watched on the ground and forming fruits laid on beds of straw or covered with paper or otherwise cared for. These months, too, are the main season for planting other varieties of beans—black beans and green beans for bean sprouts, white-eyed beans and yellow beans for the beans themselves, long beans to be eaten pods and all.

THE SUMMER MONTHS

The rice harvest usually begins in the fourth month and from that time until the end of the fifth month there is little leisure. The Chinese have a saying that a poor man is always busy but in the fifth month he is doubly so. Perhaps this very press of work makes the observance of the fifth month feast all the more general—a brazening spell is sadly needed in a land that knows nothing of one rest day in seven. But however that may be, when the intercalary month is a second fifth month, as happened this year, no one could be persuaded to observe the fifth month feast twice! Not only do these three months see the rice harvest, but it is the main millet harvest, the rice fields must be plowed and "raked," seedbeds of rice must be planted and the young rice transplanted, all this preparation being of necessity delayed until the rains come and then going forward with all the speed possible. Farmers with upland fields must prepare the ground and plant the upland rice at this time, too, so that these fields may have the advantage of (Continued on next column).

SHOWING AT THE KING'S: THE KING AND QUEEN AT THE DERBY



The above photo taken from Fox Movietone News shows their Majesties the King and Queen of England arriving at Epsom Downs to witness the Historic Derby. This is being shown with the programme of "Wild Girl" coming to the King's Theatre to-day.

the summer rains. In between times peanuts must be harvested, indigo and hemp cut, further crops of melons put in, and so on, to say nothing of carrying water or working the dragon-bone water wheel if there is not enough rain, and weeding the rice fields if water is not standing deep enough in them to drown out all other vegetation except the young rice.

THE AUTUMN MONTHS

The autumn months are devoted to the vegetable gardens. The crops put in include leeks, garlic, mustard, eggplant, Chinese cabbage, etc., principally leafy vegetables rather than tubers. The main exception is sweet potatoes, for at this season the sweet potato tubers are planted. The later varieties of peanuts are being harvested also. This more mention of vegetable gardens sounds like light work, but those familiar with Chinese farming methods know the tremendous amount of labour involved in fertilizing, watering, hoeing, and protecting from insect and even human enemies, this latter usually meaning the putting up of a rude thatched shed in the field and having some member of the family spending the nights on guard.

THE WINTER MONTHS

The tenth month usually brings a rice harvest again, and the routine of preparing for the next crop. This too is the season for planting turnips and squash, this latter one of the most exacting of Chinese vegetables, refusing to bear unless planted at this special time. Sweet potato vines, gourds, and most beans and melons may be planted almost any time and some sort of a crop assured, though of course some definite seasons of the year will give better yields than others, but not so squishy—it is the aristocrat of the vegetables and absolutely refuses to become cheap by being made common. It is interesting to note that the Chinese farmers in this vicinity have changed their cucumber planting season of late years and plant them now in the eleventh month to get them on the market early in the spring months and hence command a better price. Sugar-cane harvest often begins in the twelfth month, and millet and broom corn are planted, but the end of the twelfth month is sacred to cleaning up the house, settling accounts, and preparing for the one grand holiday of the year.

So the year goes by—and this brief resume includes no mention of the pig-feeding, poultry raising, and cow feeding carried on continually, nor of the trips to market to buy and sell, the making of baskets, traps, and other utensils, the constant preparation of fertilizer, the cutting of firewood, the dyeing of cloth, and the sewing for the family, all of which keep men, women and children busy the year round. A farmer's year, in tropical Hainan, is a busy one indeed.

American Epigrams.

A good way to get rid of an enemy is to start in making him your friend.
People, like pins, are of little or no use when they lose their heads.
Columbus did not discover America by waiting for conditions to improve.
It is not the engine with the loudest exhaust that hauls the longest train.
He who gets puffed up in prosperity is likely to collapse in adversity.
Our grandfathers knew that the place for a knocker is outside the door.

JOAN CRAWFORD IN "RAIN" A SOMERSET MAUGHAM TROPICS TALE

"Rain," the Joan Crawford starring vehicle which comes to the King's Theatre on Sunday, is the first of a series of feature films to be made by Lewis Milestone, the director-producer under his newly-formed affiliation with Joseph M. Schenck and the Art Cinema Corporation, and advance reports place it unmistakably in the category of "All Quiet on the Western Front," "The Front Page" and other masterpieces of this directorial genius.

The story is a new adaptation by Maxwell Anderson of the famed stage play, which in turn was adapted by John Colton and C. Randolph from the short by W. Somerset Maugham. It is known to millions, in fact, it is one of the best-known stories in the English language.

John Crawford was loaned to United Artists by Metro-Goldwyn Mayer for the leading role, this being the first time a star of her magnitude has been let out by that company. And around her has been assembled one of the greatest casts in years, its members including Walter Huston, William Gargan, last season's Broadway sensation, Matt Moore, Guy Kibbee, Walter Catlett, Beulah Bondi, Kendall Lee, Ben Hand-son, and Frederick Howard. And ace-artists were chosen for the photography and direction, sound technique and film editing.

The entire company was transported to the isthmus upon location for two months. Which means that "Rain" in its location which is a natural replica of its Paso Pago locale. And, like the South Seas the company was permitted to "go native" with the result that a realism was attained which would not have been possible in Hollywood, no matter what the artistry. The story, as you probably know, concerns itself with a girl of non-descript reputation who, with several other passengers on a South Sea schooner, is marooned on the small island of Pago Pago when cholera breaks out among the crew. And the entire action of the story occurs while the quarantine is in effect. The centling reformer and the lady of limber morals whom he tries to force into a path of rectitude, with the girl and finally winning happiness for her.

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There is a beautiful glass goblet lent by the King, which Queen Elizabeth is said to have used. There is a Greek tasting vessel in lovely pink glass; they used it in Cyprus in the fifth century B.C.

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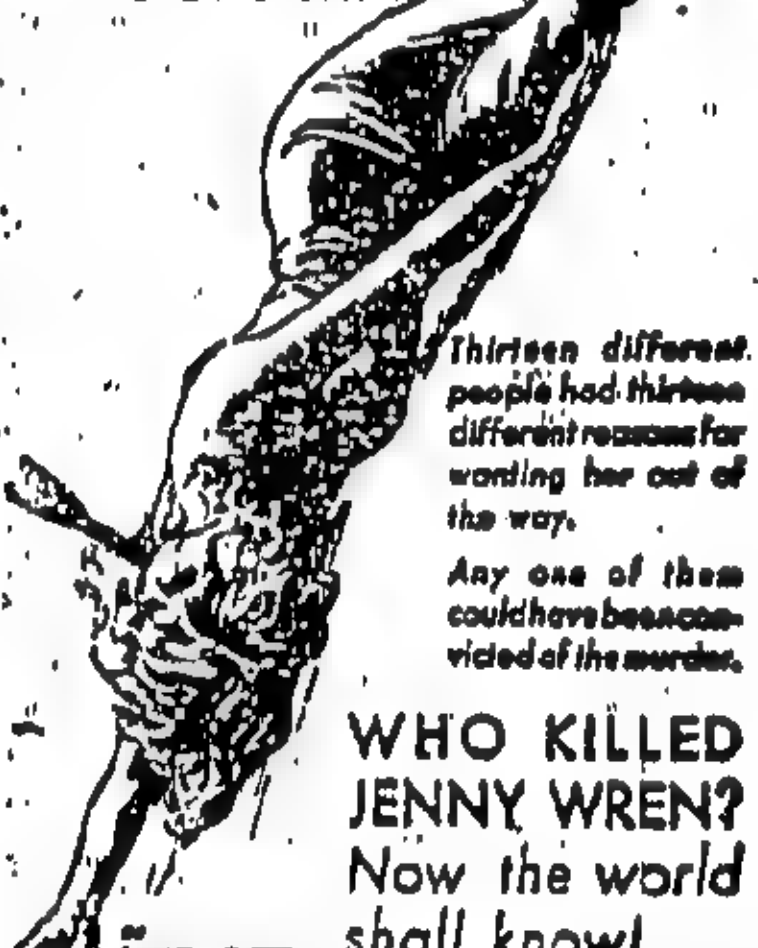
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\$1.40				Do. (new)				\$1.40
		\$16		H.K. & W. Docks				\$17
		\$8		S. China Motors "A"				\$8
		\$142		Do. "B"				\$142
		\$72		Shanghai Docks S.				\$72
		\$317		New Engineering S.				\$317
				Hongkwa				
				Lands, Hotels, and				
				Buildings				
\$7.30				H.K. Hotels				\$7.30
\$78				H.K. Lands				\$78
		\$31		Shanghai Lands S.				\$31
		\$14		Metropolitan Lands				\$14
		\$2.10		H.K. Realities				\$2.10
		\$15		China Do.				\$15
		\$137		Do. Debutantes				\$137
		\$14		Hampreys				\$14
		\$140		New Asia Hotel				\$140
		\$21		Asia Realities "A"				\$21
		\$7		Do. "B"				\$7
				Chinese Estates				
Cotton Mills								
		\$15		Eros				\$15
		\$108		Shai Cottons				\$108
		\$14		Zoong Sings				\$14
		\$90		Wing On Textiles (S.)				\$90
Public Utilities								
\$23		\$23		Tramways				\$23
		\$15		Star Ferries (old)				\$15
		\$72		Do. (new)				\$72
\$95				Yuanmii Ferries				\$95
		\$25		China Lights (old)				\$25
\$12.40				Do. (new)				\$12.40
\$74		\$74		H.K. Electric				\$74
		\$33		Macao do.				\$33
\$30.40				Sandakan Lights				\$30.40
		\$112		Telephones				\$112
		\$10		China Buses				\$10
				Traction				
				Do. (pref.)				
Industrials								
		\$15		Malabon Sugars				\$15
		\$20		Caldbeck, (ord.) S.				\$20
		\$16		Macgregors (pref.) S.				\$16
		\$6		Canton Ice				\$6
		\$1.05		Cements (comb.)				\$1.05
\$8.10				Do. (old)				\$8.10
				Ropes				
Miscellaneous								
\$29		\$3.40		Dairy Farms				\$29
		\$1		Der A Wings				\$1
		\$11		Amusements				\$11
		\$114		Ch. Entertainment				\$114
		\$3.80		Constructions (old)				\$3.80
\$0 cts.				Do. (new)				\$0 cts.
\$3.90				Lane Crawford				\$3.90
		\$21		Macintosh				\$21
		\$13.80		Nanyang Tobacco				\$13.80
		\$9		Sinacres				\$9
		\$21.10		Watsons				\$21.10
		\$10		Wm. Foralls				\$10
		\$32		M. Greyhounds				\$32
		\$4		S. C. Enterprises				\$4
		\$79		United Theatres S.				\$79
3%		4%		B. Ind. G. Bonds				75%
		3%		H.K. Govt. Loans				\$102
				Wallace Harper				\$190
				H.K. Wing On				\$165
				Shai Do				

MONEY AND MARKETS

THE SHANGHAI
MARKETSQUIET WEEK: COTTON
IMPROVES

Most local markets have had a quiet week. Several cargoes of high-grade Argentine wheat have arrived and show a strong contrast to previous purchases. July Chinese cotton has reacted from its weakish tendency owing to the strong attitude of the bulls. There has been an increase in the volume of business in the local sugar guild.

Piece Goods.

The piece goods market remains very inactive, and clearances of all goods are very poor. Practically no new business has been booked, though a certain small enquiry persists for Lenos, Repps, Linens, Mosquito netting two by one Poplin, etc. The recent notification by the Customs permitting the import of linen for embroidery purposes at 75 per cent, instead of 25 per cent, as laid down on the new tariff for this class of goods, shown the Government's desire to foster home industry as much as possible. A few small orders for Worsted Suits have again been arranged but most of the tailoring business appears to have been settled. There is no bulk business reported amongst the regular woolen buyers, and again clearances of stocks are very slow.

Cotton, Yarn, Etc.

Weekly report of Messrs. J. Spunt & Co.: Fluctuations on the whole during the past week have been within a narrow range except in that of the July position, which evidenced a weakish tendency in the early part of the week due to long liquidation. However, reaction set in later and an advance of about half a dollar on the last trading day for July cotton may be recorded, which was mainly due to the strong attitude of the bull clique who manifested great enthusiasm in taking up about 15,000 piculs of standard cotton in face of the fact that some of the Chinese mills were tendering whatever little was available from their stocks. Domestic cotton of a desirable quality is very near exhaustion point and some consumers are looking Indian cotton on a speculative basis. After the recent heavy declines in the American markets a steeper undertone is evidencing itself at the close and the silver exchange rates may be said moving also to be in a more or less steady direction.

Shanghai Market.

Shanghai, spot ex-mill: \$48.00
Shenai, spot ex-mill: \$7.50
Tientsin rough, spot ex-mill: \$1.50
Lingnan, spot ex-mill: \$2.50
Tone of the Market: Steady
SILK.
During the past week the silk market has been practically entirely devoid of activity, total transactions amounting to a mere twenty or 30 bales. The heavy fluctuations on the New York stock exchange and the uncertainty regarding the levying of a silk tax in the U.S.A. are rendering buyers cautious, and the general feeling is that the advance of prices in June was overdone. Prices consequently are showing an easy tendency, especially in Steam Filatures. Japan and New York markets have also been weak during the past few days.

Wheat and Flour.

World wheat markets during the week of report have been more or less erratic. After the tremendous decline in Chicago at the end of last week the wheat market in United States has again recovered.

Business in Shanghai has again been nil. The mills do not show any interest for the time being. Offers for native wheat are becoming scarcer, with prices advancing. The best illustration for the situation is the prices quoted on the Shanghai Wheat Exchange, these being about 10 per cent. higher for delivery in December compared with September. Delivery of the Shanghai flour market has been steady. Business has been small. Prices are unchanged.

An interesting feature during the week of report is the fact that several cargoes of high grade Argentine wheat have arrived. The wheat is excellent in appearance and the mills are very much satisfied with it. The difference between this high grade wheat which just has arrived and the low grade which arrived two months ago is tremendous, and the mills who originally have preferred to buy the superior quality and accordingly pay a higher price are receiving the full reward for their cautious policy.

There has been very slightly more activity in the paper market during the last week, although the orders booked only amount to fairly small quantities. Home prices are very firm and this, coupled with the higher duties and the usual seasonal slackness, makes the market on the whole very quiet. Deliveries from local stocks have been fair, as far as importers (Continued on next column)

HONG KONG STOCK
MARKETYESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL
QUOTATIONS

The market still shows no signs of revival, and has remained lifeless throughout the morning.

Sales.
Hong Kong Banks, \$1,844.
H.K. Fire Insurance, \$275.
Benguet Consolidated, \$38.
Hong Kong Trams, \$32.
Peak Trams (Old), \$15.
Electrics, \$74.
Hong Kong Ropes, \$8.
Dairy Farms, \$24/29.
Govt. Loans, 3% Prem.

Buyers.

Hong Kong Banks, \$1,835.
Bank of East Asia, \$2,011.
Canton Insurance, \$310.
Union Insurance, \$335.
Underwriters, \$1.80.
H.K. Fire Insurance, \$277.
Douglases, \$32.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$32.
Benguet Consolidated, \$35.
Rauba, \$10.10.
Providents (New), \$1.40.
Hotels, \$7.20.
Hong Kong Lands, \$72.
Peak Trams (Old), \$15.
Star Ferries, \$95.
China Lights (Old), \$12.80.
China Lights (New), \$12.40.
Electrics, \$74.
Telephones, \$30.40.
Cements (Combined), \$3.05.
Cements (Old), \$5.
H.K. Ropes, \$8.
Dairy Farms, \$24.
Lane, Crawford, \$3.90.
Constructions (New), 3% Prem.
Govt. Loans, 4% Prem.

Two Cottons, Sh. \$15.

Hong Kong Trams, \$32.
Dairy Farms, \$24.
Sinceres, \$13.60.
Govt. Loans, 4% Prem.

EXCHANGE

CLOSING QUOTATIONS

(By London) August 2, 1933

Telegraphic Transfer, 1/48
Bank Bills, on demand 1/48
Bank Bills, 4 months 1/48
Sight 1/48
Credits, 4 months 1/48
Sight 1/48
On New York: 1/51
Bank Bills, on demand 304 m m
Credits, 60 days sight, nom
On Paris: 1/51
Bank Bills, on demand 54
Credits, 4 months sight 54
On India: 1/51
Telegraphic Transfer 1/51
Bank, on demand 1/51
On Shanghai: 1/51
On Kobe: 1/51
On demand 1/51
On Manila: 618 m m
On Singapore: 1/51
On demand 1/51
On Batavia: 574
On demand 574
On Saigon: 64
On demand 64
On Bangkok: 134
On demand 134
Sovereigns, Bank Buying Rate 1/51
Bar Silver, per oz 174

stocks are concerned, while dealers and consumers are still reported to have very big stocks in hand.

Sugar.
The local sugar market has ruled steady throughout the week and the volume of business transacted on Sugar Guild has shown a decided increase. Deliveries have been more satisfactory and with stocks diminishing it looks as if further a.i.f. business will be possible next month.

Tea.

Black Tea: Keemun business has been less during the week, but in Hankow the market has been brisk owing to a rise in prices in other producing market.

Green tea: Chunmings remain active, and prices show no drop, as if continued on next column

LONDON EXCHANGE
RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

Paris 85 1/32
New York 4.46
Montreal 4.46
Brussels 23.53
Geneva 17.18
Milan 63 3/16
Amsterdam 8.24
Berlin 13.50
Stockholm 19.37
Copenhagen 25.40
Oslo 18.90
Vienna 30 nom.
Athens 597
Madrid 39 13/16
Lisbon 110
Bucharest 505
Belgrade 245
Helsingfors 225
Prague 119
Rio 41 official
Buenos Aires 43 official
Montevideo 34 nom.
Bombay 1/2 3/32
Shanghai 1/2 15/16
Hong Kong 1/2 15/16
Yokohama 1/2 15/16
Silver (Forward) 18
Silver (Spot) 10 1/2
War Loan 34 1/2 98 13/16

SHANGHAI DOCK AND
ENGINEERING CO.BUSINESS SHOWING
IMPROVEMENT.

Shanghai, July 29.—Satisfaction with the result of the year's working was expressed at the twenty-seventh annual general meeting of the Shanghai Dock and Engineering Co., Ltd., held yesterday afternoon at the head office, 160 Broadway.

Addressing the meeting, the chairman, Mr. B. D. F. Beith, said in part: "In reviewing the past year's activities one is impressed with the fact that business conditions in China are not less difficult than hitherto and the general world-wide depression continues to affect local and other ship-owners to the extent of reducing all repairs and up-keeps to the lowest possible figures."

"Our business in general, however during the year improved a little and repair work showed a slight increase; we still have on all heavy Custom duties levied on all materials for engineering and shipbuilding constructional and repair work to contend with, and it is most unfortunate that such important industries as shipbuilding and engineering and associated trade should be prevented from their full development by the imposition of heavy duties on all necessary materials."

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"Salvage work during the year has been small and new construction very limited. Labour has been steady and quiet and our works have carried on constantly without stoppage.—N.C. Daily News

though the quality obtainable shows a considerable falling off. Some are in active demand also at the same or occasionally higher prices, although the quality is not as good as previously. Hochoow: Finished. Pingsey: A little business continues but the average quality remaining or likely to come is worse than we have seen for many years.

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AMOI & SHANGHAI	"KING YAN"	On 9th Aug.	2 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KINGCHOW"	On 10th Aug.	Noon
HONGKONG, PAKHOI & HAIKOW	"TEAN"	On 11th Aug.	5 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SZECHUEN"	On 13th Aug.	4 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"KWANGHONG"	On 13th Aug.	4 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"ANHUI"	On 14th Aug.	8 a.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SOOCHOW"	On 15th Aug.	3 p.m.
SWATOW, POKOCHOW, WEIKOW & HAIKOW	"HUNAN"	On 16th Aug.	4 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	On 16th Aug.	5 p.m.
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Falstria, Manner's, August 30.

South America (W.O.)

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Vancouver, B.C.

Ixion, B. & S., August 3.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., August 11.

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Empress of Asia, C.P.S., August 25.

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Falstria, Manner's, August 8.

Helios, B. & S., August 14.

Empress of Asia, C.P.S., August 16.

Javanese Prince, Furness, August 19.

Change, B. & S., August 22.

Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., August 25.

Coblentz, Melchers, August 27.

Melbourne.

Nellere, P. & O., August 4.

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ASAMA MARU	Wednesday, 6th Sept., at 10 a.m.	

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KITANO MARU... Saturday, 26th August

ATSUTA MARU... Saturday, 23rd Sept.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

GINYO MARU... Friday, 11th August

CALCUTTA MARU... Tuesday, 29th August

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

ROKUYO MARU... Monday, 15th Sept.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus, Genoa and Valencia.

DELAGOA MARU (Calls Saigon) Monday, 14th Aug.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

MURORAN MARU... Tuesday, 8th Aug.

AKITA MARU... Tuesday, 15th Aug.

GENOA MARU... Tuesday, 29th Aug.

SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

HARUNA MARU... Saturday, 5th Aug.

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Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances,
Ships in Harbour, etc.YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT
RETURNSIMPORTS 13,100 TONS;
THROUGH CARGO
17,800 TONS.

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

British, H.K. Ports.	Imports	Returns
Sui Sang, Calcutta	955	1,495
Hector, Shanghai	240	3,500
Kwantung, Swatow	215	405
Linan, Swatow	480	—
Ying Chow, Hoihow	361	486
Haidis, Hoihow	—	2,430
Wing Lee, Canton	—	250
	2,254	10,660

German, Shanghai	Imports	Returns
Franken	235	2,030
Norwegian, Swatow	230	2,030
Bestik	230	364
French, Athos II, Shanghai	—	518
	—	518

Japanese, Sensan Maru, Newchwang	Imports	Returns
Himalaya Maru, Moji	1,509	4,415
Sanyo Maru, Miike	4,505	—
	10,064	4,415

Chinese, Tehekam, Hoihow	Imports	Returns
	328	—
	328	—
Total	13,100	17,800

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS.

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Vessel	Passengers
Sui Sang (British), Calcutta	231
Kwantung (British), Swatow	153
Yingchow (British), Hoihow	103
Haidis (British), Hoihow	45
Wing Lee (British), Canton	112
Athos II (French), Shanghai	274
Tehekam (Chinese), Hoihow	10
Total	929

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES.

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

British	Arr.	Dep.
American	0	1
German	1	1
Norwegian	1	1
Dutch	0	1
French	1	1
Danish	0	1
Japanese	3	1
Chinese	2	2
Total	15	18

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant ships were in harbour yesterday:—

Wharves.	Ships
Kowloon—Sui Sang, Romulus, A.P.O., North Point—Bussanum, China Merchants—Bestik, Jardine, Matheson's—Yuensang.	

ARRIVALS

August 1.

Bestik, Norwegian str., 1,004 tons, Capt. H. E. Eriksen, from Swatow, C. M. S. N. Wharf. C. M. S. N. & Co.
Hector, British str., 6,841 tons, Capt. A. Ogden, from Shanghai, buoy No. A2—B. & S.
Haidis, British str., 1,144 tons, Capt. A. Hall, from Hoihow, buoy No. B13—Wo Fat Sing.
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Tchikam, Chinese str., 800 tons, Capt. Lai Yee, from Hoihow, buoy No. C1—Ping On & Co.
Yingchow, British str., 1,216 tons, Capt. C. Harris-Walker, from Hoihow, buoy No. B21—B. & S.

August 2.

C. Henri Riviere, French str., 1,355 tons, Capt. Morganti, from Pakhoi, buoy No. A2—Sing Kee.
Hai Yang, British str., 1,383 tons, Capt. Erwin, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.
Hop Sang, British str., 1,350 tons, Capt. D. S. Pethick, from Canton, buoy No. B3—J. M. & Co.
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CLEARANCES

August 2.

Bestik, for Canton.
Bucinum, for Tarakan.
Cape St. Andrew, for Whampoa.
Glaucus, for Manila.
Gustav Diederichsen, for Bangkok.
Hector, for Singapore.
Himalaya Maru, for Calcutta.
Hoihow, for Swatow.
Haidis, for Canton.
Norvald, for Swatow.
Romulus, for Moji.
Sui Sang, for Amoy.
Tainan, for Shanghai.
Van Heutz, for Swatow.
Wip Lee, for Hoihow.
Yuen Sang, for Canton.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS.

The R.M.S. Empress of Asia left Vancouver for Hong Kong, via Japan ports and Shanghai, on July 30, a.m., due at Hong Kong on August 16, morning, due to leave for Manila on the same evening.

SILTING OF THE PEI HO

CONSULS TO CO-OPERATE WITH CHINESE.

Tientsin, July 27.—A conference of the Consular body in Tientsin took place this morning at the German Consulate-General to consider the question of the navigation on the Pei Ho River, which leads to Tientsin from Tangku. Since the middle of June, sand and mud have accumulated in the Pei Ho and all steamers are now forced to stop at Tangku. Those present decided to act in conjunction with the Chinese authorities in taking necessary measures to restore the channel.—United Press.

ANOTHER TRADE SHIP TOUR

It is understood that as a result of the success of the voyage of the Nieuw Holland it is proposed to send a similar Australian trade ship to China and Hong Kong. The general feeling among members of the delegation seemed to be not elation at the immediate results, although it has been stated that many orders had been booked—but quiet confidence that the way had been prepared for an expansion of trade with the countries visited.

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"RAJPUTANA"	17,000	12th Aug.	Bombay, Madras & London.
"BANGALORE"	6,000	19th Aug.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.
"RANCHI"	17,000	26th Aug.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.
"CARPENTHAGE"	14,000	9th Sept.	Bombay, Madras & London.
"BHUTAN"	6,000	16th Sept.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.
"NALDERA"	16,000	23rd Sept.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.
"CORFU"	14,000	7th Oct.	Bombay, Madras & London.
"SOUDAN"	6,800	14th Oct.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.
"MANTUA"	11,000	21st Oct.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.
"RAWALPINDI"	18,000	4th Nov.	Bombay, Madras & London.
"BURDWAN"	6,500	11th Nov.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.
"COMORIN"	15,000	18th Nov.	Bombay, Madras & London.
"CHITRAL"	15,000	2nd Dec.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.
"SOMALI"	6,800	9th Dec.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.
"RANCHI"	17,000	16th Dec.	Bombay, Madras & London.
"CARPENTHAGE"	14,000	30th Dec.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.
"BANGALORE"	6,000	6th Jan.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.

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"TILAWA"	10,000	12th Aug.	do.
"SANTHA"	8,000	2nd Sept.	do.
"TAKADA"	7,000	16th Sept.	do.
"SIRDHANA"	8,000	30th Sept.	do.

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Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"NELLORE"	7,000	4th Aug.	Madras, Rangoon, A.werp. & Hull.
"TANDA"	7,000	2nd Sept.	do.
"NANKIN"	7,000	30th Sept.	do.

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SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI AND JAPAN

Steamship	Tons	From Hongkong (about)	Destination
"TANDA"	7,000	7th Aug.	Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka & Yokohama
"KIDDERPORE"	6,000	7th Aug.	Shanghai, Kobe, Osaka & Nagoya
"CARPENTHAGE"	14,000	16th Aug.	Sh

